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THE big chill covered Harlow in a blanket of snow this week, bringing out the best and worst in residents as police reported 45 incidents of anti-social behaviour in just a few hours.

While most people enjoyed sledging and building snowmen, groups of youths threw snowballs at traffic, including an ambulance. The elderly and mums with children were also targeted.

Crime reduction officer Graham Anthony, of Harlow Police, said most of the complaints originated from Staple Tye, The Stow and Edinburgh Way, adding that those responsible had stretched police resources and could have created a real danger.

"We did the best we could but the levels of anti-social behaviour were very disappointing," he said.

It is thought the youths, some in gangs of up to 20, were lacing

snowballs with stones to ensure maximum destruction when they struck targets.

Although nobody was injured, the issue is due to be discussed at the next meeting of the Safer Harlow Partnership to see if anything can be done to prevent such behaviour being repeated in the future.



DUVET know it's not easy being a snowman, standing around all day in subzero temperatures with just a scarf and hat to keep warm? This lucky fellow was provided with a double bed by his creators, Paula Harris (44) and friends Carole and Lorna when they built him in Tany's Dell, Harlow. For a full roundup of how this week's Arctic conditions affected the town - as well as a selection of some of the photographs sent in by readers - turn to pages 4 and 5.

More jobs gloom as **Truck-Lite makes 74** workers redundant

JOBLESS figures have risen again in Harlow after one of the town's major employers announced scores of redundancies

Truck-Lite, a leading manufacturer and supplier of vehicle lighting, electrical harnessing and mirror systems, has shed 74 workers following a 30-day consultation

And there could be further misery on the jobs front after catering firm 3663, which operates out of Greenways in Harlow Business Park, admitted this week it is also looking to reduce its workforce.

Truck-Lite has its Euopean head office, distribution centre and technical site in the

Human resources director Duncan Turner said the redundancies were necessary to secure the longer term future of employees in the town during the recession.

But one disgruntled employee told the **Star**: "There are a lot of people who work there, some for many years, and the company has done nothing for those who are being made redundant.

"They have no clue what they should do or where to go, what their rights are and how they go about finding them out."

Reduced demand for products or services was the reason given in an official redundancy notification

Of the 392 employees at the Barrows Road site, 51 manual workers were axed along with nine clerical, 10 professional and four managerial/technical staff.

Harlow MP Bill Rammell said he was extremely disappointed about the job losses

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THOUSANDS are backing a petition to save the threatened Harlow Welfare Rights and Advice Service from devastating funding cuts proposed by cash-strapped Harlow Council.

More than 3,000 people added their names to the Friends of HWRA appeal on Saturday.

The petition will be handed to Harlow Council's ruling Tories in a bid to make them reconsider slashing the service's budget by up to 85 per cent.

Former HWRA employee Mag Barrett was among 12 Friends of the service who braved the cold to secure names in Broad Walk and said she was greatly

WELFARE CARE: Collecting signatures are, left to right, Ann Upton, John Upton and Gerardine Meany (photo: C9FNJCL/02)

encouraged by the response.

"The response we got was a perfect illustration of just how important the Harlow Welfare Rights and Advice service is to the people of Harlow and shows what a terrible mistake it will be for the council to make these drastic cutbacks," she said.

■ HARLOW Pensioners' **Action Association chairman** Les Coben was collecting signatures on Saturday against a council decision to decommission eight sheltered housing schemes in the town.

Thousands sign to Man (35) dies in car park plunge

ONE man died and ano- By SOPHIE WARNER ther was seriously injured star@hertsessexnews.co.uk after falling from multistorey car parks in Harlow. The incidents, which are not

connected, happened at Terminus Street and Wych Elm within days of each other.

A 35-year-old man, who has not been formally named, plunged to his death opposite the bus sta-tion in front of shocked onlookers at about 6pm last Wednesday.

Mourners this week laid floral tributes at the spot where he died.

One message read: "RIP Chris love from the lads." Another card bore the message: "Bless you. I wish I could have stopped you."

Three ambulance crews,

including two rapid response cars, were scrambled to the scene after witnesses called to report the inci-

Paramedics tried in vain for an hour to resuscitate the man, understood to be from Harlow, before pronouncing him dead at the scene.

Harriett Kent-Poe (25), who works at Guardian Estate Agents,

said she was walking to collect her car at the time.

"As I walked to get my car after I finished work I saw a lady crying hysterically," she said.
"I think she was the person who called the ambulance. The police

had blocked off the road: no-one could see anything. The body was covered up by the police."
A post mortem examination

was due to be carried out this week. Police are not treating the incident as suspicious and have passed the file to a coroner.

On Saturday a man in his 70s was taken to Princess Alexandra Hospital for treatment to serious head and leg injuries after falling from the Wych Elm car park. Staff at the nearby NHS Walk-

in Centre ran out to help shortly after 9am and summoned an ambulance.

Police are not treating the incident as suspicious and it is understood the man, who has not been named, has since been dis-



TRIBUTES:

lowers left at the scene of the fatal fall on Wednesday

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Truck-lite job losses

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and said he would be looking for evidence the company explored every option before redundancies

A spokeswoman for 3663 said it is currently in consultation with staff regarding possible job losses

"The company cannot speculate on or confirm possible job losses until its formal consultation process has been completed," she

Police give theft alert

POLICE are warning residents and motorists to secure their homes and vehicles following a spate of burglaries and thefts.

In all, 11 houses and 11 cars were broken into in separate incidents between January 26 and Sunday.

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After heavy snowfalls transform Harlow into a winter



Three days in

MUCH of Harlow is still suffering the aftermath of the worst snow fall seen in the region for 18 years.

Four days after up to nine inches of snow fell in the town, bringing with it plummeting temperatures which created dangerous blankets of ice, many pavements and cycle tracks have not been treated by county

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council workmen, making them treacherous to negotiate. Harlow Council said it had asked contractors to grit most public areas as well as those outside sheltered accommodation throughout the town to make them accessible.





But up to 40 elderly residents have become trapped in their own homes because thick ice still covers walkways outside.

George Brown (85), who lives in the council-run complex of properties in Risdens, said yesterday (Wednesday): "There are 40 bungalows and [the residents] can't get out and about.

"It's been three days and it still hasn't been touched. Many of the residents must be running low on things now but they can't get to the shops.

Although access to front doors of Desormeaux Bungalows had been cleared, one resident said the pavement outside the complex was still untreated and was dangerously slippery.

Essex County Council, which is responsible for ensuring footpaths are safe, has also come in for criticism after residents in Peterswood were virtually cut off. They said they were unable to grit their road because the authority had failed to fill up a salt bin.

They were left to to buy their own grit to treat the road surface in order for them to get out and about

A county council spokesman said it regularly refilled the bins and added that, where there was spare capacity, its workmen were treating walkways. However he added the authority's primary concern following Sunday's heavy snowfall was to make sure the primary road network across the county was gritted to ensure drivers' safety.

The weather brought most of the town to a standstill with many headteachers deciding to close schools on Monday, with some even staying shut on Tuesday because of staffing problems and health and safety concerns.

Roads were gridlocked as motorists

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Expert advice

SIR, The directors of Harlow Save Credit Union were disappointed to learn that the financial application from Harlow Welfare Rights and Advice Service had been turned down by Harlow Council.

We know from our own association with the WRAS that the service it gives, and has given, to the people of Harlow has eased the burden of many a troubled mind.

From what all the pundits are telling us, it is patently obvious in these precarious financial times that this excellent service will be needed by even more people.

It is a fact that a lot of people faced with financial problems really do not know where to turn. If they are lucky, they will be directed to WRAS where its experience should set them on the

Harlow Council does not have to be longsighted to see what is heading the way of a lot of Harlow folk. However, it does come across as being naively shortsighted in not continuing to support this excellent group of people who are long experienced in many and varied problems that could affect any Harlow citizen.

Come on Harlow Council, support our own experts!

F. Hull, president Harlow Save Credit Union The Rows, Harlow

Down the pan

SIR, Having used Harlow Welfare Rights and Advice Service for many years and for a variety of reasons, I was both shocked and angered by the news that it is in imminent danger of closure due to Harlow Council's decision to drastically cut funding.

Every time I go into the advice centre, I am shocked at the number of people waiting to be seen and can't help wondering where these people are supposed to go for help if the service

I would urge the people of Harlow, especially those of us who have been helped by staff in the past, to throw their weight behind the campaign to keep welfare rights open in any way they can.

Staff do an excellent job and are always happy to go that extra mile to help people. It would be such a pity to see their years of expertise go down the pan.

Carol Ann Hyde Pittmansfield, Harlow

Council shame

SIR Harlow's Conservative councillors claim our finances are in such a critical state that they have to cut services at the Leah Manning Centre, turn sheltered housing into ordinary housing stock and cut the funding of the Welfare Rights and Advice Service, which will mean it will have to close down at a time when it is needed more than ever And yet they claim thousands of

pounds a year in expenses. You would think that if our finances are as they say, they would give up their expenses for the next two or three years and give their services free.

Oh, I'm sorry, I forgot. They are politicians and their needs come before the community. Shame on

Irene Coben Rectory Wood, Harlow

Have a heart

SIR. I am very shocked by news that the council is even thinking about cutting services at the Leah Manning

I go there just to have my hair done but for lots of other people this is the only outlet for them to meet with their friends for a coffee, have lunch and

Parking charges will hit local shops hard

SIR, Harlow Council is trying really hard to reduce local support and usage of our neighbourhood shopping areas by proposing to charge for car

In Old Harlow, Somerfeld will suffer as some customers who use it now will probably go to Tesco where parking is free. Other shops and services in the High Street will be affected, too, as will patients going to Jenner House.

Do councillors not realise these are difficult days and traders need to be helped to survive? This is a small community shopping area, not the town centre where car parking charges can be expected. Priory Avenue is another example of a zealous determination to rid the road of commuter parking. For years people parked on one side only of the road without problem. For some time now the parking has spread to both sides. Commuter numbers are greater than the station car park capacity so return to allowing one side, a reasonable compromise.

Our Town Park is another one on the hit list. Families bring children to enjoy Pets Corner, the children's playground or a pleasant walk over the bridge to the river. When incomes are reduced or lost, simple pleasures that cost nothing are also to be penalized.

We must all write to the council voicing vehement opposition to their latest ruse to increase income and tax us further. Anne Groves Watlington Road, Old Harlow

enjoy a game of bingo.

I was down there just before Christmas when schoolchildren were singing carols to the people and it brought tears to my eyes as I watched them sitting in their chairs. I thought then what would they do without this place to come to

I am sure that others will agree with me. Have a heart and long may the Leah Manning Centre remain open.

Sylvia Darvell Brooklane Field, Harlow

Matter of facts

SIR, I wish through your letter page to respond to Ian Beckett's letter ("Needs of the vulnerable should be given priority", January 29).

Firstly, I wish to congratulate him in becoming the new chairman of the Harlow Labour Party but, given the mess of the local and national party and the ineffectiveness of dealing with anything, I am sure there were not too many people sticking their head above the parapet for this position.

With regards to his comments, I really do not see where his information has come from.

My colleagues and I on the Conservative group are trying to deal with the sorry mess that his party left us when they were humiliated at the last election and sent packing by the residents of this town.

Mr Beckett does not seem to understand that it's not only the residents who are feeling the pinch of this credit crunch. Due to the Government's incompetence this council is suffering also, but instead of looking at the pay review awarded to certain officers as a saving of yet another £20k, he harps on about the increase itself. This is being honoured from the time his party were in power but then withdrew it just as the meeting was about to start.

With reference to sheltered housing, I really do think he should have checked all his facts, perhaps even speaking to Labour councillor Margaret Hulcoop who has attended the working parties and now supports the recommendations which have been made. The facts are completely different and it's letters such as his and other comments from Bill Rammell's merry band of followers that have actually caused the stress and concern.

With regards to the Welfare Rights and Advice Service, I was one of the councillors who sat on the call-in panel and listened to all the evidence submitted. It was very obvious to me that the real problem with the working was the fact that they were unable to make a recommendation because the Labour Party argued not

all the evidence had been heard. Then, upon hearing evidence from officers, it became clear that the evidence had been provided to them at the first set of meetings. It also became very clear that due to Labour and the Liberal Democrats continually sending substitutes, the folders which contained all this information were not passed from one councillor to

The fact of the matter is that other councils are providing a similar service at a fraction of the price that we in Harlow spend.

Issues such as rent and council tax debt advice are already, and always will be, provided by Harlow Council. The Conservative council also wishes to provide value for money in all the services it provides.

So perhaps before Mr Beckett rushes to get a letter in the local press he should check the facts, unless of course it was done so that he has his name in lights for two weeks.

Lee Dangerfield, chairman Harlow Conservative Association Berecroft, Harlow

Housing crisis

SIR, Housing committee chairman Joshua Jolles should in principle be proud to defend the sheltered housing schemes which were built by previous administrations which had foresight and understanding of older people. Harlow urgently needs a programme

of high-quality council house building to provide accommodation for those on the waiting list of between 3,000-5,000 people.

Has the council considered how to progress the Gateway scheme where one- and two-bedroom apartments intended for social housing have been started but at present are at a standstill because the housebuilding programme is in crisis? This presents the council with an opportunity to take over and complete this scheme.

There is money available from the Government. We should take up its offer and build a better Harlow.

Tom and Maureen Topley

Pay priority

SIR, Over the last few months, I have realised that those people whose jobs are needed are getting paid less and less while all the footballers. celebrities, music stars and other people who the country don't need get more and more. I am appalled at this behaviour.

Thomas Carroll (9) Harlow (full address supplied — Editor)

Cocaine pair caught after police swoop

TWO men who admitted possessing cocaine with intent to supply have been spared jail by a judge.

Patrick Orange (30) and Darren Mills (30), both of Rushes Mead, Harlow, were instead given a community order and a suspended jail term respectively after police found cocaine worth up to £1,400 at their home

Orange, who rented a room in the house and had merely touched a container with the drugs in it and had taken messages, was given a 12-month community order to do 100 hours of unpaid work by Judge Peter Fenn at Chelmsford Crown Court.

Mills was given a 12-month jail sentence suspended for 18 months and ordered to attend a drug rehabilitation programme. Sarah Vine, prosecuting, said police raided the property in December 2007 and found wraps of cocaine in containers in the kitchen and digital scales. The purity of the drug was between nine and 60 per cent. Orange arrived at the house later and was arrested while Mills. who was contacted by telephone, later gave himself up. Sentencing the pair, Judge Fenn said Orange's was a technical offence and told Mills: "I am going to give you a chance of carrying on your good work to rid vourself of the addiction.'

Boy endures ear op wait

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A BOY of five has been kept waiting 18 months to receive treatment for a persistent ear infection.

Charlie Millross has endured a foul-smelling discharge from his ear since August 2007 but despite many trips to his GP and a Princess Alexandra Hospital consultant, he is still suffering.

He was first referred to PAH's ear, nose and throat department in October 2007 but after suffering a perforated eardrum the foling a periorated eard unit de rol-lowing month, his worried grandparents paid for him to see a private consultant who suggest-ed he might have a cholesteatoma, an abnormal skin growth behind the ear drum.

Almost nine months later he was sent for a CT scan and in October last year his parents learned the private consultant's diagnosis was correct.

However, despite receiving the scan results almost four months ago, Charlie is still waiting to undergo mastoid surgery.



DELAY: Charlie Millross with mum Hayley

(photo: VRWZQFHJ/03)

His mother Hayley Luck (28), of Moorfield, said the infection had knocked his confidence and affected his school work.

St James' Primary Charlie has been taunted by classmates and fallen behind in class, leaving him on the special needs register. The infection has also affected his hearing and he

is seeing a speech therapist.

"His ear weeps constantly and needs cleaning all the time," said Miss Luck. "Sometimes he

wakes up in the night sweating because the infection is affecting the rest of his body.

"It's really knocked his confidence and he can't do the things normal little boys do. It's very frustrating and I'm also worried about all the antibiotics he's been given. I've made an official com-plaint and been told the waiting lists are very long."

A PAH spokesman apologised

and said a date for surgery has now been offered.

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Matthew's mountain challenge

THE sky's the limit for a young man who is tackling the mental and physical challenge of climbing the highest mountain in Africa.

Matthew Mouncey (19) is undertaking the gruelling eight-day ascent of Mount Kilimanjaro in Kenya to raise money for the Epping Breast Cancer Unit after being motivated by his mother's fight and recovery from the disease during the past 18 months. Matthew, of Woodwards, Harlow, said: "It hit home when my mum was diagnosed with breast cancer just how everyone has been affected in some way, not just the women but the husbands and sons who watch as family members suffer.

"The care and dedication shown by the Epping unit drove me to give something back. A little bit of fundraising is the least I can do."

However, he must raise a minimum of £4,000 before he can take part in the adventure, which is scheduled for August. He intends to raise the cash through sponsorship, fundraising and the generosity

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of family and friends.

It is not the first mountain he has set out to conquer for the cause. Last year, he reached the top of Ben Nevis in a climb organised by Charity Challenge, a team which orchestrates various fundraisers for the Epping unit.

"I've got a training program, although I haven't done any of it yet," he told the **Star**. "But I'm doing Ben Nevis again so I'm counting that as a mini-training exercise if you like.""

He added: "I cannot wait but I am really, really nervous at the same time. When I did Ben Nevis it tired me out, and that was just for a day. This is for eight!"

And he already has an eye on his next fundraising adventure. "I am hoping to do a jungle expedition planned in Peru in June 2010, but it depends on the success

● For information on how to support Matthew and find out more about his fundraising activities, contact him at matthewmouncey2003@yahoo.com.

of this one," he said.

Downing Street date for residents' champ



DOWNING Street opened its doors to a Harlow man in recognition of the work he does in the local community.

Mike Duckmanton, chairman of the Harlow Common Residents Forum, was nominated by local MP Bill Rammell to attend a reception held at No. 10 to recognise the importance of community leaders.

Both Mr Duckmanton and Mr Rammell met Chancellor of the Exchequer Alistair Darling and other MPs.

"It was a pleasure to visit No. 10 and see the rooms where so many historic decisions were made," said Mr Duckmanton. "It is somewhere you only get the chance to see once in a lifetime.

"I enjoy working with other residents to the benefit of the community and our town and I feel this recognition is as much for them as me."

Mr Rammell said every MP received one invitation to extend to a community stalwart of their choice. "I chose Mike as my guest for the tireless energy he gives in his capacity as chair of the Harlow Common Residents Forum," he said. "He is constantly working on behalf of

"He is constantly working on behalf of other forum members, lobbying decisionmakers and companies to make life in the area better for everyone. I cannot thank him enough."

Army cadets mount a recruitment drive

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ATTEN-SHUNNN! New recruits are needed to bolster the ranks of Harlow's Army Cadets.

The groups, which meet in Harlow and Old Harlow, have a total of just 24 members at present, but organisers are hoping to encourage more youngsters to join the force which will celebrate its 150th anniversary next year.

Lieutenant Kevin Gallifant, of the Essex Army Cadet Force, said: "It's great fun and value for money as well with a free uniform issued on loan. If the cadets grow out of it or damage it, for example on an assault course, they just exchange it.

"It costs about £6.50 to send a son or daughter away for a weekend and that includes three square meals a day, accommodation and all the activities. Most of the time, transport from a local pick-up point is provided as well."

The two detachments in Harlow meet at the Cadet Centre in Bush Fair from 7.30-9.30pm Tuesdays and the TA Centre in Old Road, Old Harlow, from 7.30-9.30pm on Thursdays.

For more information, call (01245) 462302 or visit the website at www.essexarmycadets.co.uk.

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Parndon Wood

Crematorium & Cemetery

PARNDON Wood Cemetery By CHRIS MOSS and Crematorium will be leased to a private operator by September, the Star can reveal.

The facility in Paringdon Road has been criticised for a variety of failings by health and safety officers as well as bereaved families during the past year.

Now Harlow Council is looking to effectively wash its hands of the service by inviting bids for a 25-

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will remain the owner and retain control regarding any significant changes, but the new leaseholder will be expected to invest heavily in the service on top of paying a flat annual fee.

All 11 workers will be transferred to the chosen partner with protection of the terms and conditions of their original contracts, but the council cannot guarantee the new leaseholder will decide to keep everyone on.

Environment and community The part-privatisation, approved in January 2008, means the council son said a key factor in the decision to switch to a partnership contract was the level of investment required to meet new EU legislation on eradicating mercury emissions.

"It is very clear that the facility requires investment and the new EU laws on eradicating mercury emissions by 2012 would cost us in the region of £600,000 in order to replace cre-

mation equipment," he said.
"Bereaved families locally deserve a facility that is a pleasant and well maintained and in the future we will be faced with difficult decisions over how this can be provided.

"Although local authorities have run similar facilities for many years, there has been an increase in experienced and well-trusted organisations managing and owning crematori-

ums."
The facility was heavily criticised by inspectors in December 2007, while the Star has featured several stories concerning bereaved families disgusted with their experiences of the cemetery over the past year.

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Date set for trial of 'sex case' councillor



David Kirton, of Longbanks, has been remanded in custody pending the trial which is due to start on June 8.

A further interim hearing has been scheduled for April

Kirton (55), a former Conservative councillor who now sits as an independent, is charged with three offences which it is alleged took place since February 1 last year.

Police bail suspects in hare hunt

TWO men from Harlow are among a group of seven arrested on suspicion of hare coursing.

Police arrested the group following a chase across fields near Hunsdon on Tuesday.

All seven have

been released on bail until March.

Sergeant Chris Hunt said: "Hare coursing has an extremely negative impact on rural communities, damaging land, ruining livelihoods and ultimately affecting the quality of life of residents."



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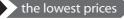
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PAH is now one of country's best performing hospitals and is currently being showcased by the Department of Health as one of three hospital sites across the country leading the way in setting

standards of good practice.

During 2007/08 there were 22 cases of MRSA – exactly half the number of cases recorded at PAH three years ago. Last year saw a total of 122 C.diff cases in all age groups compared to 315 in people aged over 65 two years ago

Dr Shico Visuvanthan, consultant microbiologist and director of infection prevention and control, said: "We are continuing to make real progress in reducing C.diff. This is in part because of the rigorous and effective antibiotic regime we introduced last year but also because of the hard work and vigilance of staff.

"The enlarged cleaning teams at the hospital are continuing to have a real impact with every clinical area being cleaned once a day and several times a day where traces of C.diff are found.'

Banker in boat brawl avoids jail sentence

A BANKER who threw a punch at a pleasure boat captain after being ejected for drunkenly abusing passengers has been given 100 hours of

community service.
Christopher Liddard (23) lashed out at Martin Welsh after he and his brother Andrew Liddard (28) were thrown off the Millennium of

Peace at Tower Bridge on June 2, 2007

In the scuffle that followed, Mr Welsh's second in command – Michael Reed (67) – collapsed and died of a heart

Following a trial at the Old Bailey, Christopher Liddard, of Challinor, Harlow, was cleared of the manslaughter of Mr Reed. But jurors were unable to reach a verdict on his brother who will now

face a retrial in July.
On Friday Christopher returned to the Old Bailey for sentence. He was ordered to carry out 100 hours of unpaid work after he admitted a charge of common assault against Mr Walsh. Judge Peter Rook told him:

By COURT REPORTER star@hertsessexnews.co.uk

"You, together with your brother and a friend, boarded the pleasure cruiser. There were many passengers on board enjoying the early summer evening and your brother's loutish and boorish behaviour led the captain to ask the three of you to disembark and you all eventually did so.

"Whilst your brother was being restrained by your friend, you swung a full-blooded and wild punch at the captain who had been doing his best to deal with a difficult situation. This in turn led to the escalation of this incident."

The judge said it was an aggravating feature of the attack that the target was the boat's captain and in a position of

responsibility.

He added: "I don't accept that there was provocation. In my view Mr Welsh was trying to deal with a very difficult situation indeed.

"I am just persuaded that this is not an appropriate case for a custodial sen-

Liddard was also ordered to pay £70

During the trial of the brothers the jury was told that father-of-three Mr Reed had been married for 44 years and had suffered heart problems since



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Do something amazing ...join the Race for Life

CANCER RESEARCH UK Race for Life THE countdown to one of started. for Life - which takes place in the Town Park on Sunday, May 10 - are

Harlow's biggest annual fundraising events has Organisers of the Harlow Cancer Research UK Race

hoping to attract a recordbreaking 3,000 participants. And this year the **Star** is throwing its weight behind their efforts by becoming the charity's official newspaper partner for the event, one of more than 230 taking place throughout the country between May and July.

Race for Life is now the UK's largest women-only fundraiser. Participants who sign up to take part can walk, jog or run the 5k course and in the process raise money to help beat cancer.

Lucy Hynes, area event manager



for Harlow, said: "We hope that everyone will accept our invitation to do something amazing by taking part in the Race for Life.

"Women of all ages, abilities, shapes and sizes join in. They motivate and inspire each other to complete the course. Many simply walk around, chatting and having fun, but they all share the wonderful spirit of sisterhood and pride on the day.

"Cancer Research UK is delighted to have the Star as their newspaper partner for the Race for Life in

Last year a total of 2,126 women took part in the Harlow event – the seventh to be held in the town – and raised an incredible £160,000. Many of those were cancer survivors or were participating in memory or celebration of a family member of friend whose lives had been touched by the disease

"The number of people surviving cancer is increasing. In the 1960s fewer than three out of 10 children diagnosed with cancer were successfully treated: now it's seven out of 10. Today more

than 95 per cent of men diagnosed with testicular cancer are cured and more women are surving breast cancer than ever before, but we still have a long way to go.

"Despite improvements in treatment, one in four people in the UK will die from cancer. With your help, we want to change that. Cancer Research UK believes that research is the key to developing better ways of preventing, detecting and treating cancer."

This year the organisers are setting a target of £193,000 for the Harlow event. And we want as many \$ readers as possible to sign up. All you have to do to enter is register by logging on to the website at www.raceforlife.org or call 0871 641 2282.

During the next few weeks, we will features reports about the work Cancer Research UK is doing in Harlow and look at the stories behind the headlines of people who have survived cancer, who have taken part in the Race for Life and of the army of volunteers who made the whole thing possible.

But this week we are asking YOU to do something amazing – join the Race for Life and encourage your friends, family and colleagues to take up the challenge too.

FACTfile

Cancer Research UK's Race for Life 2009 is the UK's largest women-only fundraising event.
Women of all ages and fitness levels are invited to do something amazing by signing up to Race for Life and joining together to walk, jog or run 5k to raise money to help beat cancer.

Cancer Research UK hopes 680,000 women will take part in more than 230 Race for Life events taking place throughout the UK between May and July and raise more than £60m to fund the charity's lifesaving work.

Since Race for Life started in 1994, four million women across the UK have taken part, raising more than £240m to fund Cancer Research UK's pioneering work to help beat cancer.

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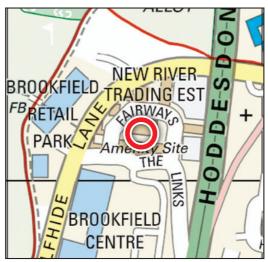
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Heroes and villains leap from books



BROADFIELDS: Children exhibited their work to parents and visitors as part of Heroes And Villains Book Week.

The exhibition concluded two weeks of hard work in which the children got the opportunity to be creative. It took place in the school's main hall where the children told stories of heroes and heroines using shoeboxes as props. Event organiser Michelle Hughes: "We hold this event year and the kids and everyone who was invited had a great time. The children judged the exhibition themselves." Book week allows pupils to read more books, as well as to write their own stories and present them in class. They also got the chance to design their own themed posters.

Taking tea with the headteacher



TANY'S DELL: Parents had the chance to meet and quiz the new headteacher during a formal meet-and-greet session at the school. Bernadette Miele, *pictured above*, invited parents and guardians to afternoon tea during which they had the opportunity to ask her questions and give opinions on the school and its policies.

Mrs Miele, who took up her post at the Mowbray Road school in the New Year, said: "The afternoon went very well. I feel honoured to be on this new post; it is the best school I have worked at. I want to continue to raise the standards of Tany's Dell."



Days packed with sheer ox-citement

YOUNGSTERS celebrated the Chinese New Year of the Ox in style at nursery schools in Harlow.

Children at **SCHOOLGATE NURSERY** in Carters Mead, *pictured above*, dressed up to learn more about the culture of the Orient culture As well as making lanterns, cards and a collage of Chinese images, their home corner was transformed into a Chinese home where they dressed up in costume and ate

Chinese food

Manager Anita Parrish said: "All the children enjoyed the week, especially the food tasting and playing in the decorated Chinese home corner."

Meanwhile, children at **RAINDROPS NURSERY** in Hare Street, *pictured below*, tucked into a feast of Chinese food courtesy of the Crystal Palace restaurant in High Street, Old Harlow.



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'Vigilante' thugs jailed for assault

Rosetta's 100-year milestone

will be the talk of the town when she celebrates her 100th birthday today (Thursday) with family and friends.

The Stratford-born woman will be joined by her son, daughter-in-law and some of her four grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren for a special party to mark the milestone at Ashlyn Care Home in Harlow.

Daughter-in-law Marion White (69), of Burnett Park, said: "It's a real landmark for her to reach her 100th birthday and we're all going to make sure she has a very special day.

"One of her granddaughters has baked her a cake and the care home will be laying on a special tea and presenting her with a bouquet of flowers, so I'm sure she'll have a lovely time.

(photo: MDMPGCMD/02)



TWO thugs who launched a brutal attack on a vulnerable young man in a park have been jailed for a total of seven years.

Victim Kelvin Ward suffered a broken jaw requiring surgery in what was described as a vigilante attack

Jailing David Townsend (19), of Spinning Wheel Mead, Harlow, for three years and Daniel Moore (19), from Chelmsford, for four years, Judge Anthony Goldstaub QC told them: "This was a vulnerable young man. You attacked him and when he was on the ground begging for mercy, you kicked and stamped on his head.

"He received a fractured jaw and other injuries and one witness said his face exploded with blood."
Townsend and Moore, who carried out the attack

in Chelmsford, had both denied but were found guilty of causing grievous bodily harm with intent to Kelvin Ward in December 2007.

Chelmsford Crown Court had been told Kelvin suffered severe learning difficulties which resulted in him having the intellectual capacity of a child of

He had received a text asking him to go to the park. Prosecuting, Peter Clark said that when he arrived, he was knocked to the ground and subjected to a sustained and vicious assault.

"If this was a vigilante-style attack, there was no excuse for it," added Mr Clark

Mr Ward, who had received a police caution for sexually touching a 10-year-old child, was "assumed to be the victim of some grievance", said the judge.

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Boot camp fighting fat

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COUCH potatoes may flinch at the thought of going to a gym but a family of fitness fanatics are determined to get Harlow's residents in shape via gruelling Army-style boot camps.

Gary Stanley, wife Kate, brother Billy and sister-in-law Suzy decided to do something about the town's growing obesity problem by going into business with tough sixweek courses comprising fitness and weight-loss exercises.

The intensive one-hour sessions combine mat work, weights and cardiovascular exercise, with a large portion of military-style encourage-ment to push participants to their limits to shed excess pounds.

To add to the ambience of the sessions, the boot camps will be held outside during the summer, only retreating



FIGHTING FIT: Gary and Kate Stanley demonstrate a boxina work-out (photo: QLV2Q29P/02)

to the sports centre, at Mark camps will be just as suc-Hall, in winter.

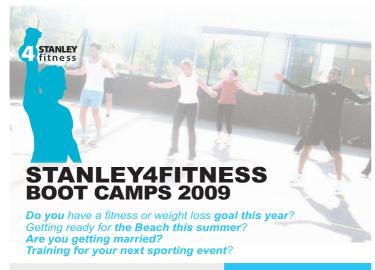
The initiative comes after health chiefs revealed the number of obese people in the town was above the national average.

Gary (32), of Challinor, Harlow said: "It has been a real success so far and we have had already had the maximum number of participants join up to our New Year camp, so we are hoping the Easter and summer

cessful.

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A MAN recovering from By LOUISE SASSOON heart surgery has been evicted after housing chiefs ruled he was not eligible for a council home.

Electrician Alan Henderson, pictured above, was given just seven days to pack his bags and leave his temporary accommodation in Altham Grove, Harlow.

Mr Henderson (47) has worked all his life and has rented in the private sector since losing his house in the last recession during the early 1990s.

However, he was recently made redundant from his job and soon found himself homeless and sleepNews Editor

ing on a friend's sofa

Eight weeks ago he underwent a life-saving heart valve replacement and thought his luck had changed when Harlow Council agreed to house him in temporary accommodation while he recovered.

But last week the authority told him he is not eligible for a council house and had to leave.

"I am just so angry," said Mr Henderson. "I just don't know what you have to do in order to get housed by the local authority.

"Through no fault of my own I lost my job and have heart problems and yet the council is saying they can't help me.

"I can't get a job at the moment because there are none out there. I just don't know what to do."

Mr Henderson, who has lived in Harlow for 14 months, claims he was also told he was not allowed to join the housing register but this was reversed after he complained.

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Centre a focus for the elderly



By LOUISE SASSOON

T seems an appropriate time, given the impending reduction of services at Harlow's Leah Manning Centre, to look back at the facility in its hey day.

Opened in 1980 and named after the first post-war MP for Harlow, who was actively involved in social causes, it was built to serve the needs of elderly people who were fit and active as well as those who were housebound and disabled.

When it opened it was hailed as one of the best examples of day care in the country due to the wide-ranging services it offered to the town's elderly population.

Now, many services such as hairdressing, drop-in lunches and dancing look set to be off-limits to



SONG AND DANCE: A taste of the entertainment laid on at the centre in

pensioners unless they are referred by Social Services.

Regular correspondent Ron Bill wrote to *Nostalgia* to tell us how the facility was set up with the town's ageing residents in mind.

"Older age is not the most welcome time of life; health is not always 100

per cent. For people relying on the state pension and supplements, spending has to be carefully controlled," he said.

"The day centre working party considered these factors before deciding upon the type of centre Harlow needed.

"The first priority was to give housebound elderly residents at least one day out per week and it was planned to buy an ambulance with tail-lifts to accommodate wheelchair users.

"The working party decided the day centre should be multi-functional. offering a warm welcome, appropriate services and activities and a restaurant to serve the varied needs of the then 14,000 retired residents.

"When Leah Manning opened, it welcomed Members of Parliament, councillors. Social Services chiefs and architects around the UK. Virtually everyone said it was the best they had seen."

Mr Bill added: "It has served the town of Harlow's retired residents well. It is unique in its field and is still one of Harlow's crown jewels.'

Pages from the Star 25 years ago

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ur memories of Harlow past with Star readers by writing to , Harlow Star, 6 West Gate, The High, Harlow, Essex CM20 1JW d an email to *star@hortsessexnews.co.uk*

Do you remember when the bandstand rocked?

memories of pop concerts at Harlow Town Park bandstand in the 1970s. The Museum of Harlow's David Devine has told Nostalgia that after the success of concerts in Market Square and the Water Gardens in the 1960s, a bandstand was constructed in the park in the 1970s to host gigs for those aged 13-20.

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Rooster, Mungo Jerry, 10cc, The Rubettes and Eddie & The Hot Rods.

The gigs drew thousands, with the largest audiences for The Bay City Rollers and Mud. In most cases, these well known acts were supported by bands from the burgeoning Harlow music scene.

Do you remember any of them or were you in the crowd at a concert? If so, write to Nostalgia at 6 Westgate, Harlow, CM20 1JW or email

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Deaths

REVEREND JIM GILL

Minister of St. Andrew's Methodist Church The Stow, Harlow, Hatfield Heath United Reformed Church and the Methodist Minister in the LEP of Great Parndon. Harlow (Including St. James with St. Luke and St Mary's), and Padre of the Royal Naval Association and the women's section of the Royal British Legion, Harlow.

Jean, Fiona, Pauline and Liberty are very sad to announce the death of a wonderful Husband, Dad and Grandad.

Jim passed away on Sunday 1st February 2009, aged 67 Years. Jim's funeral service will take place at St. Andrew's Methodist Church, The Stow, Harlow, on Wednesday the 11th February 2009, at 2.00pm. All Welcome.

It was Jim's wish that any donations in his memory go towards the St. Andrew's Methodist Church Building Fund, as this project was very close to his heart

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Sadly missed by us all and her many friends and neighbours. My "peach blossom" I love you so much and miss you more. The poets words come to mind. "The flowing waters carry the image of the peach blossom far far away, there is an earth, there is a heaven unknown to men. Long may the waters flow and our hearts be healed by them.

Our sincere thanks to Dr. Morgan and his team and staff of Nicholas Ward, Princess Alaxandra Hospital for their tender loving care during Joy's long stay in hospital.

Family flowers only, any donations to Daniel Robinsons, Wych Elm, for Nicholas Ward, Princess Alexandra or St Clare Hospice.

Funeral 1.30pm, Wednesday 11th February, service at Oakwood Chapel, Spring Hills, 3.30pm Harlow Crematorium.

RICHARDS. On Jan 30th in hospital and formerly of Wharley Hook, Harlow, Pat aged 78 years. Much loved wife of the late Don, devoted mum of Glen, Jane and Donna. Dear nan of Ray, Dean, Mike, Cullam, Stephen and Gemma. Also a sadly missed Great Nan. Funeral service and committal will be held on Monday Feb 9th, Ipm at St. Helens C r e m a t o r i u m,

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BOLAND. Stephen. 6th Anniversary. Remembering you is easy, we do it everyday, it's just the pain of los-ing you that never goes away. Dad, Mum & Niall. x

In Memoriam

GODDARD. Margaret Hannah. Dear Mum, treasured memories. Love Val, Dave, Brian, Annette and children.

HUNT. Eileen. One year has gone, still miss you. You were like a second mum to me. Love Edna.

MANN. Arthur.
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much, love you always.
Hilda. xxx

MANN. Jacqueline. 5th 2001 February 5th 2001 Treasured memories of a dear wife mum and nan. Forever in our hearts. Ron and family.

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Births

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JASON

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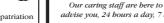
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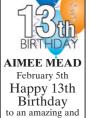
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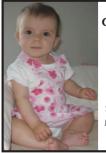
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Council 'must build homes'

By CHRIS MOSS

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HARLOW Council will fail to meet the housing needs of thousands of residents unless it takes advantage of new Government incentives for local authorities to build more homes, according to the town's MP.

More than 6,000 people are currently on the authority's waiting list for a council property and Bill Rammell claims the situation will only get worse unless the ruling Tory administration embraces the plan.

"We need to do everything we can to reduce the number of people in this town waiting for a council home and I think this announcement is the most positive news we have had in years," he said.

The proposals – due to come into effect in the next few months - will let councils borrow more money to fund building and also keep the proceeds from rentals and sales

The Government hopes this relaxation of the strict rules which have previously discouraged local authorities from adding to their social housing stock will ease the burden on waiting lists and help kick-start the faltering construction industry.

"Too few council homes are currently built in the UK but these plans will give hope to those on council waiting lists, especially during the recession.

"I will strongly urge Harlow Council to take advantage of the incentives on offer to increase the building of council homes."

A council spokesman told the Star: "The council is identifying the financial and practical implications of the announcement and will be working with its partners to formulate a response to this initiative.

"It is committed to working in partnership to take opportunities to address the housing needs in Harlow."



OAP's gas-tly theft

astonished to find crooks had stolen his gas meter.

Maurice Lester (75) realised his Shawbridge home had no gas supply last week. After contacting neighbours, he called British Gas and a workman told him the meter had been taken.

"The gas man said there have been five gone, all told, and gave me a heater until a new one had been fitted.

"I just couldn't believe it - it was a bit of a shock but I suppose there's no point in crying about it, these things happen.'

Mr Lester had his supply reconnected the next day.

A British Gas spokeswoman said she was not aware of a spate of thefts in the area but said it was a problem experienced by the entire gas industry throughout the

Fatal crash man named

87-year-old Sawbridgeworth man who died on January 25 in a car crash has been named.

Ronald McLeod, of Spinney Court, The Orchard, was declared dead at the scene on the A414 Stanstead Abbotts bypass after his blue Ford Mondeo collided with a barrier. No other vehicles were involved.

He had been travelling east at

about 6.35pm. The road was closed in both directions between the Amwell roundabout and the Roydon Road junction until Monday afternoon because of damage to the barrier.

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The men, who are both in their 20s were spotted by a coastal patrol aircraft and winched to safety by a helicopter.

Their ordeal began when their fishing boat sank in heavy seas off the north coast of Australia a few days before Christmas.

Nearly 20 of their fellow crew

members drowned when the wooden boat capsized in a terrible storm, but the two men managed to cling onto a large ice box which had been used to store their catch.

After being rescued, they were immediately taken to hospital. The good news is that they are recovering well.

They will now be questioned by police who want to piece together the events leading up to their rescue.

Investigators want to find out what the men ate and drank while in the ice box, which was about the same size as a large desk.



Happy Birthday

TODAY

ETHAN (member 744), of Purford Green, Harlow, is 5; RUBY (member 809), of Berecroft, Harlow, is 3

FRIDAY

ADAM (member 773), of Vicarage Wood, Harlow, is 6

SATURDAY

GEORGIA (member 825), of Church Leys, Harlow, is 8; RYAN (member 873), of Bush Fair, Harlow, is 7

SUNDAY

AIMEE (member 053), of Doulton Close, Harlow, is 11 MONDAY

RHEA (member 869), of Watlington Road, Old Harlow, is 3 TUESDAY

COURTNEY (member 392), of Stackfield, Harlow, is 12 and retires from Rangers.

BONNIE (member 124), of Birch View, Epping, is 11; SAMUEL (member 492), of Joyners Field, Harlow, is 10

WEDNESDAY

JAMIE (member 826), of Church Leys, Harlow, is 4

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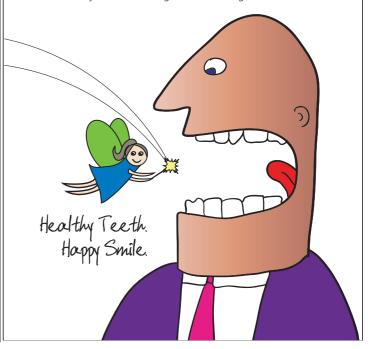
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LEAST FAVOURITE FOOD:

DISLIKES: Going to bed FAVOURITE TV: The Simpsons

FAMILY: Prethors Alex (1)

FAMILY: Brothers Alex (17) and Jack (1), and sisters Lily (7) and Madison (5) PETS: Whitney the kitten and Barry the lizard WANTS TO BE: A

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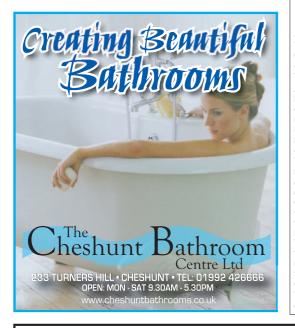
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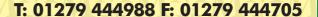
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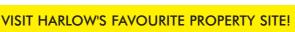
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A THREE BEDROOM DETACHED HOUSE enjoying a double glazed conservatory and a buxury kitchen with AEG hob & double oven. There are also two reception moons, buzury white bathroom, cloakroom & a nersulte shower room. The property benefits from full double glazed windows, gas heating via radiators and wardrobes to the two main bedrooms. The garage is integral with parking on own private driveway. The parden is ald to bum encides of yencing with side gate: the property is nicely located to enjoy plenty of casual parking. No onward chain.



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A FOUR BEDROOM DETACHED HOUSE located within A FOUR BEDROUM DETACHED HOUSE located within a cul-de-sac on the outskirts of Harlow. The property offers a 27'0 x 20' lounge narrowing to 120 in dining area, 11'10 x 7'11 kitchen, cloarroom, uPVC double glazed windows & gas heating via radiators. There is also a driveway with parking for 4 cars & single garage.



PARSONAGE LEYS

A GROUND FLOOR STUDIO APPARTMENT LOCATED WITHIN ABOUT 1/2 MILE OF THE TOWN CENTRE. The property offers gas central heating, kitchen with a range of fitted units, bathroom with a white suite and a living area. Other benefits include a communal garden area. area. Other benefits include a communal garden area AVAILABLE NOW ON AN UN OR FURNISHED BASIS.



PARSONAGE LEYS

A FIRST FLOOR STUDIO APARTMENT IN A CENTRAL A RIGHT TOURS A PARTIMENT IN A CENTRAL HARLOW LOCATION. The property benefits from gas heating via radiators and double glazed windows. There is an entrance hall leading to a combined living room and bedroom, a kitchen & a bathroom with a white three-piece suite. Available NOW. Unfurnished or Furnished.



PETERSWOOD

ONE BEDROOM first floor flat. The property has fully fitted kitchen with oven, hob & fridge, the living room is of a good size with table, chairs & sofa. Luxury white bathroom suite, fully double glazed windows and gas heating. Available EARLY MARCH fully furnished.



HERONSWOOD

A ONE BEDROOM SECOND FLOOR FLAT located within A Since Bednoom seconds Present Bednoor Part Neckage willing a short distance of The Town Centre & Station. The property benefits from uPVC double glazed windows, gas heating via radiators, fitted kitchen with built in oven & hob, part tiled bathroom suite, gas heating via radiators, AVAILABLE UNFURNISHED NOW.



WEDGEWOOD DRIVE

A TWO BEDROOM FURNISHED FLAT available end of A TWO BEDIKUUM PURNISHELY LAI available end or February (aary) March. The property enjoys double glazed windows, wall mounted electric storage radiators, large lounge, fully fitted kitchen with built in oven & hob. There is also allocated parking and a security door telephone entry system.



A TWO_BEDROOM TERRACED PROPERTY LOCATED WITHIN A CUL-DE-SAC. The property enjoys gas heating via radiators, lounge to the front & kitchen/dining room to the rear. There is a parking space to the front. This property is unfurnished and is available from the end of Februray 2009.



A FULLY REFURBISHED TWO/THREE BEDROOM TERRACE HOUSE WITH GROUND FLOOR EXTENSION. The property benefits from a luxury fitted kitchen with built in over a hob, lounge, bedroom three/dining room, luxury white bathroom suite and two double bedrooms. The rear garden is laid to lawn with a small decking area. The property is available end of February ON AN UNFURNISHED BASIS



NORTH GROVE

A REFURBISHED THREE BEDROOM PROPERTY with a brand new kitchen, bathroom and carpets. The property offers a large lounge. Dining area, uPVC double glazed windows, gas radiator heating & separate wc. The garden is also laid to lawn. This property is available at the end of February 2009.



A FOUR BEDROOM TERRACED PROPERTY offering double glazed windows & new gas central heating via radiators. The property also features a 9'6 x 8'9 kitchen with oven & hob. There is a cloakroom, 14'6 x 8'8 dining area & 18'3 x 12'3 lounge. The property is available towards late February and untrunished. The landlord would consider DSS & Sharers.



A RECENTLY RE-DECORATED TWO BEDROOM TERRACED HOUSE with two parking spaces to the front. The accommodation comprises of a 14% x127 founge, 127 x 98 kitchendfinling room, uPVC double glazed windows, gas heating via radiators and two double wardobes to the main bedroom. The property also enjoys a south facing garden with patio and lawn. AVAILABLE NOW on a FURINISHED basis. SORRY NO FETS, SIMMERS OR DSS.

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three bedroom detached property, offering, two reception rooms, impressive conservatory, fitted kitchen/breakfast room, en-suite shower room and luxury fully tiled modern bathroom. A garage also provides additional parking/storage

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- Two Bedrooms
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• Terrace Home
• Conservatory

Fitted KitchenLarge LoungeSuperb Decor Double GlazedGardenBathroom Popular Location

Davenport, Church Langley



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 Rear Garden
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C139,950 SAWBRIDGEWORTH (Granary Court). 2 bedroom cottage style mews home situated a stone's throw from Sawbridgeworth's shops and amenities, currently let at £650 per month on a shorthold tenancy agreement, 10 minutes walk to BR station, split level, fully double glazed, No onward chain. Sole Agents.



E225,000 BISHOP'S STORTFORD.
Excellent value for money, 3 bedroom detached home, some modernisation needed, good sized south facing garden, carport, garage, gas heating, double glazed windows. Vacant possession offered. No onward chain. Keys available. Sole Agents.



E229,950 HATFIELD BROAD OAK (High Street). Charming 2 bedroom detached cottage property with spacious living room, dining room, panelled kitchen, courtyard hard landscaped garden, open fireplace, many character features, offstreet parking, fitted bedroom, vacant possession offered. Sole Agents.



£237,500 SAWBRIDGEWORTH (Elmwood). In beautiful decorative order, situated in the heart of the village, sitting room, separate dining room, fitted kitchen and bathroom, double glazing, gas fired heating, underfloor heating to bathroom, single garage, parking for 2 cars, short walk to station. Sole Agents.



\$244,950

SAWBRIDGEWORTH
(Springhall Road).
Immaculate 3 bedroom
family home on corner
plot with south facing 50'
garden and single
garage, double glazed,
gas central heating, large
living room, large
kitchen/family room,
downstairs w.c., light and
bright spacious
accommodation, very
popular road in the
centre of town, only 10
minutes walk to station,
no onward chain, vacant
possession offered. Sole
Agents.



£249,950 BISHOP'S STORTFORD. 3 bedroom semi-detached home with 120 ft landscaped rear garden, great potential for extension subject to planning, offering sitting room, dining room, kitchen, utility area, downstairs cloakroom, single garage and parking, offered with no onward chain. Sole Agents.



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SAWBRIDGEWORTH
(Lawrence Moorings).

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with 3 double bedrooms,
enormous 21ft living
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River Stort, fully fitted
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to master bedroom plus
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its type in Lawrence
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£279,950 SAWBRIDGEWORTH (Luxford Place). Impressive 3 bedroom detached home with south facing rear garden, sitting room, conservatory, en-suite shower room to master bedroom, single garage and parking, 10 minute walk to village centre and station, offered with vacant possession and no onward chain. Keys available. Sole Agents.



£314,950 SAWBRIDGEWORTH (Southbrook)
Spacious 3 double bedroom detached home in
the heart of the village, 3 minutes walk from village
centre, offering large living/dining room, love
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found and are ready to move. Sole Agents.



£369,950 HATFIELD BHOAD OAK.
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detached chalet home, large living room,
separate dining room, family room,
superb kitchen/breakfast room, luxury
bathroom, 2nd shower room, double
garage, excellent parking, double glazing.
Viewing essential. Sole Agents.



£374,950 GREAT DUNMOW (Bacon End). Fantastic 4 bedroom semi-detached home in prime position in this rural hamlet, super views to front and rear, recently refurbished, sitting room, kltchen/breakfast area, separate dining room, study/b.rvoom, downstairs bathroom, luxury en-suite bath/shower room to master bedroom, parking for 3/4 cars and garage. No onward chain. Sole Agents.



£359,950 TAKELEY.
Brand new 4 bedroom family home with large living room, dining room, utility, downstairs w.c., large kitchen/family room, luxury en-suite to master bedroom, fitted wardrobes, luxury family bathroom, gated entrance with parking for 4 cars and single detached garage. Keys held for immediate viewing. Sole Agents.



£399,950 LITTLE HALLINGBURY.
Spacious 4 bedroom detached family
home, garden approaching 1/4 of acre,
sitting room, dining room, good sized
kitchen/breakfast room, hobby room,
study, possible annexe, double glazed
windows, spacious garage, in-and-out
drive, central village. Sole Agents.



£649,950
SAWBRIDGEWORTH
(Fair Green). 17th
century 4 bedroom
character family home
over 3 floors with large
barn with planning
consent for further
accommodation, wall
enclosed garden in the
centre of town, only 8
minutes walk to station,
offering many character
features with tall ceilings,
open fireplaces and
exposed timbers.
Viewing highly
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disappointment. Sole
Agents.



£449,950 BISHOP'S STORTFORD (Oaklands Park). Detached 3/ 4 bedroom home with 175ft garden, garage and parking, large living room, dining room, kitchen, ground floor bedroom with en-suite facilities ideal for relative etc, no onward chain. Sole Agents.



£575,000 HATFIELD BROAD OAK. Imposing 4 bedroom detached family home with detached double garage and parking for 4/5 cars, large south facing garden, immaculate inside with 2 recently fitted bathroom suites and refurbished kitchen, utility room, large entrance hall, large living room, dining room. Must be viewed. Extremely sought after village. Sole Agents.



\$255,000 HATFIELD HEATH (Chestnut Drive). 5 bedroom 5 reception room detached family home, double garage close to village centre and renowned junior school, beautifully presented, 2 ensite bedrooms, family bathroom, good sized garden (south facing), utility. Vacant possession offered. Sole Agents.



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£124,995 Morrfield

Haart Estate Agents are delighted to offer for sale this three bedroom mid terraced house situated within easy reach of local shops and schools. The property benefits from having gas heating via radiators and is offered chain free.



Two bedroom end of terrace house situat-

ed close to Harlow town centre and Princess Alexandra Hospital. The property benefits from having two double bed-rooms and a refitted kitchen and bath-

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Town Location

OIEO £150,000

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OIEO £250,000 Church Langley

A David Wilson built 3 bedroom detached family home set in a cul-de-sac turning on the ever popular Church Langley development, the property benefits from ensuite shower to master bedroom, utility CALL TO BOOK YOUR VIEW

£125,000 - £130,000 **Guide Price**

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Guide Price £285,000 Extended

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Split Level Flat

Passmores

Two bedroom split level flat situated in the popular Katherines area on the out-skirts of Harlow. With its accommodation spread over two floors the property bene-fits from having double glazing and a 18'8 x 12'1 lounge/dining room.

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turning siding and backing onto open fields is this detached three bedroom fam ily home which benefits from a detached e and ground floor cloakroom/v CALL TO ARRANGE A VIEWING







Extended Semi

£245,000

executed semi detached family home situated of the outskirts of Harlow. The property boasts a 244 long lounge, a refitted kitchen and a down-stairs shower room/w/c. Call now to arrange you viewing. Chain free.

Ref: 18 CALL NOW CALL NOW



Extended End

Three bedroom end of terrace family home situated on the outskirts of Harlow. The property benefits from being extended to the front and having a garage to the rear. The property also boasts a downstairs w/c and a 19'6 kitchen/dining room. Chain free.

Three Bedrooms

End Of Terrace

Downstairs W.C

 Garage Chain Free

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Outskirts of Town

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£189,950

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3 Beds & Garage

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Ref: 20 submit any higher offers in writing to us



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An easy purchase is offered with this one
bedroom first floor flat situated in the
popular Passmores area of Harlow. The
property benefits from having double
glazing, gas heating via radiators and is
offered chain free.

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01E0 £85,000

Ideal Family Home

Three bedroom family home located on the outskirts of Harlow. The property ben efits from having a porch, downstairs w/c and refitted kitchen and bathroom. The owner also has planning permission for off road parking to the front.

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Part. 2.



Guide Price £140,000 - £150,000

Two bedroom terraced house located a short distance from Harlow town centre and Princess Alexandra Hospital. The property benefits from having gas heating via radiators, two double bedrooms and is offered chain free.

Extended

Extended three bedroom semi detached family home, comprising of two reception rooms, fitted kitchen/breakfast room, utili-ty room, downstairs w.c/shower room, dressing room, family bathroom and

Ref: 21 CALL NOW TO VIEW



OIEO £210,000 Ideal Buy To Let

Moving on up.in this town house situated within walking distance to Harlow Town Centre, Certified 12 Alarm System, Certified Emergency Lighting, Certified Sas Safety Check, Certified Electric Safety, Fire Safety Doors Fitted.

Ref: 23



Guide Price £130.000 - £140.000

An ideal first time purchase is offered with this three bedroom terraced house situated in the popular Passmores area of Harlow. The property benefits from having double glazing and a re-fitted kitchen/breakfast room.

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We are delighted with instructions to market this two bedroom ground floor flat situated in the popular Sumners area on the out-skirts of Harlow. The property benefits from having double glazing, its own rear garden and is offered chain free.



One bedroom third (top) floor flat in a popular location close to Harlow town centre. The property benefits from having double glazing and gas heating via radiators and would make an ideal first time

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Ref: 25



Mid-Terrace



Re-Fitted Kitchen

£149.995 Located within close proximity to the Princess

Rectory Wood

Alexandra Hospital and Harlow town centre is this two bedroom middle terrace. The property benefits from having off road parking, as well as a refitted kitchen and bathroom CALL NOW TO VIEW

Great Location

Ideal First Time Buy



Stow Area

Situated within reach of shops and schools is this two bedroom split level maisonette in the Stow area of Harlow. The property benefits from having gas heating via radiators and double glazing and should be viewed as soon as possible. FIRST TIME BUY



Guide Price £155,000 - £160,000

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£145,000 -£165,000

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Lounge
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Allocated parking
Approx 35ft rear garden

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Albert Gardens Church Langley

£170,000 -£185,000

Two double bedroomsTerraced

Lounge
 Fitted kitchen / diner
 Private rear garden
 Garage with driveway
 CHAIN FREE



Westbury Rise, Church Langley

£155,000 £175,000



Westbury Rise, Church Langley

£170,000

Lounge
 Fitted kitchen / Diner
 Gas central heating
 Double glazed windows
 Approx 40ft rear garden
 Garage with driveway



Malkin Drive, Church Langley

£180,000 -

 Groundfloor Cloans
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 Gas central heating
 Garage with drivewa £200,000



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£166,000

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Mallows Green

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DSS Considered

Garage Three Double Bedrooms Landscaped Garden



Four Bedroom
House, Harlow
Town Centre and Hospital
Three Double Bedrooms,
One single
Large Driveway
Partly Furnished
Available Now



Three Bedroom House, Church

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House, Church

Three Bedroom

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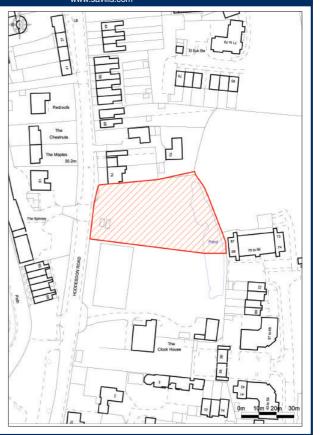
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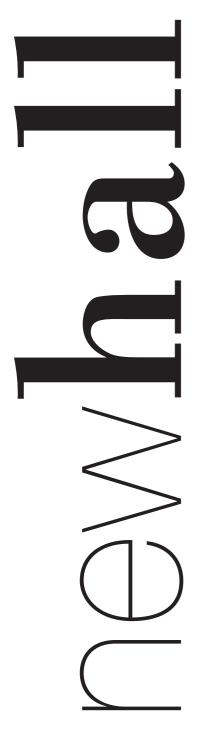


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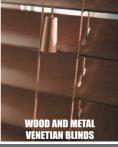
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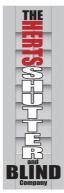
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BUTTON IT Brad Pitt stars in an Oscar contender

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Tastes of the ancient world by drama group

MOOT House Players is lacing its annual family production with a little Eastern magic when it presents Ali Baba and the Forty Thieves.

The show, which opens tonight, is the latest in a series of fresh adaptations of classic tales by writer/director Bett Hewlett and for this version of the popular Arabian Nights tale she went back to the original story.

"Ali Baba is one of the most famous of these tales," said MHP chairman Geoff Leeds.
"Presented as storytelling brought to life in theatre, our production is a sort of antidote to pantomime – not that we have anything against that uniquely British art form, it's just that it is nice to be able to tell the actual story for once.

"We can promise a rather good set, courtesy of Paul Regeli and Bett, effective costumes, music, dance and excellent acting to help bring the tale to life, and - in a strong message for our times - it delivers a lesson against greed!

Ali Baba and the Forty Thieves will be staged at Moot Hall, in The Stow, tonight, tomorrow (Friday) and Saturday February at 8pm, with a 3pm Saturday matinee.

Staying in the ancient world, February 22 will see a new departure for the troupe when it holds an audition/reading for the Greek classic *Lysistrata*. The reading will give those wishing be involved in the forthcoming production a chance to meet and talk about the play and this translation.

Written about 411 BC, this is probably the best known of Aristophanes' plays and concerns the Hellenic women who, despairing at the neglect of



THIEVES TALE:

Pictured in rehearsal are, left to right, Geoff Leeds, Claire Quley), Robbie Chittick David Schacht Biddy McAlpine and Dan Powell

ago. I do not remember ever laughing so much at

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Simply mod for tribute show

SOMEWHAT snobbishly, I've always avoided tribute acts. The very concept leaves me

But the chance to hear live the music of the Small Faces and The Jam – two of my favourite bands - was enticing enough for me to cast aside preconceptions.

This was the first date in the March Of The Mods tour, which brings together the Small Fakers and Wellalive on one stage in a tribute to the finest music the suit-andscooter brigade had to offer across several decades

The show was introduced by Chip Hakwes of The Tremeloes (and dad of Chesney, fact fans)

REVIEW

MARCH OF THE MODS

The Playhouse, Harlow

who shared the bill with Steve Marriott and co several times in the 1960s – and he gave a ringing endorsement to the Fakers, who effortlessly reproduced the iconic '60s sound of the Small Faces in two-and-a-half minute blasts of tight musicianship.

Recreating the look and sound of Marriott, one of the finest voices in British pop history, is a tall order but Fakers frontman Matt was up to the task. In fact, from row M it was downright Wellalive, in keeping with the Jam's punkier late '70s leanings, were more ragged but no less accomplished Charismatic singer Johnny had Paul Weller's vocal nuances down to a tee, especially when ripping through a pre-interval set of Jam classics before moving on to his Style Council and solo material.

their men, take a yow never to sleep with their

husbands until lasting peace is declared. Their

victory is inevitable, but the process by which

Director Rosemary Caswell said: "I was lucky enough to see Sir Peter Hall's production in the

ancient theatre of Epidavros a couple of summers

they achieve their ends is both clever and

hilariously funny.

The stage set-up – in which one band sat and nodded while the other performed proved slightly distracting until it was vindicated in an encore in which all the players came together for an exhilarating rendition of the Small Faces' All

Alex Day

Grandfather's war

any play that I have seen before or since.

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for 70 years, until Cameron decided to publish them online in 2007. Since then, they have sold thousands of downloaded copies and were published in hardback by Hodder & Stoughton ås *A Very* Unimportant Officer.

The show has been adapted and directed by David Benson, perhaps better known for his electrifying one-man show Think No Evil Of Us: My Life With Kenneth Williams.

My Grandfather's Great War is at The Playhouse next Thursday at 7.30pm. Tickets are £13 (£12 concessions)

arts diary

COMEDY The Barron Knights return to The Playhouse tonight (Thursday) at 7.30pm. Tickets are £15.50 (£14.50

CINEMA Mikrokino Film Club presents Snowcake at St John's ARC, off Market Street, Old Harlow, tomorrow (Friday) at 8pm. Tickets are £6.

ART Graham Metson's A Metrospective 1957-2009 opens at The Gibberd Gallery on Saturday until March 21.

MUSICALS Enjoy West End show hits in Stardust, at The Playhouse on Saturday at 7.30pm. Tickets are £14 (£13 concs). **HERITAGE** Discover a hidden wonder when the Gibberd Garden opens on Sunday from 11.30am-3.30pm for a Winter Festival At The Garden. Tickets are £4 (£2.50 concs) and children are free.

MUSIC Swing the night away at The Playhouse on Sunday at 7.30pm with The Rat Pack Vegas Spectacular, featuring tribute acts to Frank Sinatra, Dean Martin and Sammy Davis Jr. Tickets are £17.

MUSIC Tribute act The Overtures star in The Bootleg Sixties at The Playhouse on Wednesday at 7.30pm, a trip through pop's grooviest decade. Tickets are £15. TALK Harlow Decorative And Fine Arts Society will hear of Houses And Gardens Of The Bordeaux Region next Thursday at 8pm in St John's ARC. Tickets are £5.

ART The surrealist show Visions Beyond by Dominique Lambrecht and Sue McDonald continues at The Gallery At Parndon Mill until February 15.

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Oscar glory beckons for Pitt the younger

THE CURIOUS CASE OF BENJAMIN BUTTON certificate 12A, running time 2h45m

BASED on a short story by F Scott Fitzgerald, The Curious Case Of Benjamin Button is the frontrunner at this year's Oscars with a hefty 13 nominations.

Were it not for *Slumdog Millionaire*, David Fincher's visually arresting, realist fable would probably sweep the board in a similar fashion to *The English Patient*. However, this technically dazzling epic still stands a good chance of cluttering the mantelpiece with golden statuettes golden statuettes.

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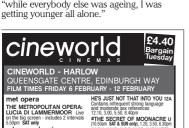
The film opens in a New Orleans hospital room where Caroline (Julia Ormond) watches as her elderly mother Daisy (Cate Blanchett) clings to life. To pass the time, Caroline reads from an extraordinary journal chronicling the life of the eponymous hero, starting with his birth in 1918.

But the mewling infant looks like an old man, with ossified bones and wrinkled skin, and will apparently die within hours. When he is abandoned by his father in the dead of night, it is African-American retirement home nurse Queenie (Taraji P Henson) who raises him as

When Benjamin (Brad Pitt) is eventually strong and old enough to leave the retirement home, he seeks his fortune aboard a tugboat captained by a hard-drinking Irishman (Jared Harris) and finds romance with a beautiful ballet dancer who will pirouette her way into his heart.

The Curious Case Of Benjamin Button recalls Forrest Gump, possessing the same scope and ambition as it juxtaposes an ordinary man's extraordinary escapades against a backdrop of 20th century American history.

Digital trickery superimposes Pitt's face onto the bodies of other actors until he is able to embrace the lead role entirely. He perfectly captures his character's inner turmoil – the fear of forging emotional bonds because "while everybody else was ageing, I was



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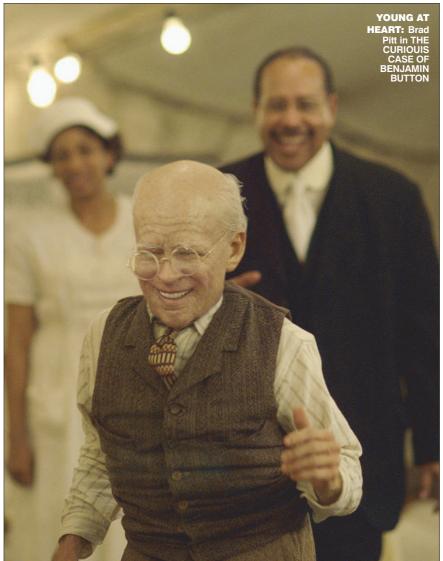
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Raised on the set, Bolt truly believes he's a superhero with the strength to charge down speeding vehicles but when fate throws him into the big bad world, he joins forces with a sarcastic alley cat and a deranged hamster in a ball to make his world. way in the world.

THE SECRET OF MOONACRE

certificate U, running time 1h43m

ORPHANED at a young age, plucky 13-year-old Maria Merryweather (Dakota Blue Richards) is forced to seek lodgings with her eccentric and gruff uncle on the isolated Moonacre Valley estate. She soon learns of an ancient feud one soon learns of an ancient reud between her family and the De Noir clan and comes to realise she holds the key to reuniting the warring estates by tracking down a set of magical pearls.

HE'S JUST NOT THAT INTO YOU

certificate 12A, running time 2h9m

A COMEDY about the affairs of the heart of various twenty- and thirty-something men and women, who all inhabit the same dating pool in present day Baltimore. Mary (Drew Barrymore, who also directs) has plenty of loving, supportive men around her. Unfortunately, they are all gay and she craves the amorous attentions of just one straight man.

sound check with chris moss

FIRST things firs. The name's supposed to be ironic, OK? And for Alanis Morissette fans who struggle with the definition of irony, its application here reflects the fact this tenacious teenage trio are anything but what their name suggests. Geddit?

StereoTypical really are a strange bunch. They look like they should be spending their spare time hanging around outside McDonalds or writing bad poetry to imaginary lovers, but they've sensibly chosen to record and produce their self-penned debut album instead album instead.

So far, so non-stereotypical but what about their music? With influences as bizarre, diverse and dodgy as their haircuts and a collective age younger than some of the fruit in my cupboard, their sound will be an BAND: StereoTypical FROM: Sawbridgeworth WHO THEY: Bob (vocals/piano), Adam (bass), Thomas (drums/backing vocals) SOUNDS LIKE: Tom Waits falling off the wagon WEBSITE: www.stereotvpicalrock.com

ugly mess of preachy Coldplay piano-ballads, shrieking punkpap and guitar hero powerchords, surely?

Well, as luck would have it - and there's more than a sniff of accidental genius here – their implausible sonic adventures somehow land them in the same topsy-turvy eccentric psych-folk-rock netherworld inhabited by



Tom Waits, Conor Oberst and a whole bunch of other maverick left-fielders they've probably never heard of. The irony!

StereoTypical will be unveiling their first album Heaven And Hell at Sawbridgeworth Memorial Hall next Friday. The gig starts at 7.30pm and tickets cost \$4 on the door.

gig guide

THURSDAY THE SQUARE, Fourth Avenue, Harlow – Bite +

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still showing

NICK & NORAH'S INFINITE PLAYLIST Nick (Michael Cera) is the bass guitarist and the only straight member of a queercore band. He is still madly in love with his self-obsessed ex, Tris (Alexis Dziena), spending hours creating mix CDs which she just throws in the bin ... from where sassy rich girl Norah (Kat Dennings) picks them up. Sparks fly when Nick and Norah finally meet, which only serves to reignite Tris's interest.

VALKYRIE Bryan Singer's war opus relates the final attempt on Hitler's life before his suicide in April 1945. Colonel Claus von Stauffenberg (Tom Cruise) is recruited by the German Resistance to spearhead the assassination. Unfortunately, the film is a plodding history lesson with Cruise giving a one-note performance.

SLUMDOG MILLIONAIRE

Irresistible rites of passage drama building to an extraordinary emotional crescendo. Danny Boyle's modern day fairytale charts the extraordinary journey of an orphan from the slums of Mumbai to winner of his country's version of Who Wants To Be A Millionaire?

MY BLOODY VALENTINE **3D** Remake of the 1981 slasher flick about a pickaxe wielding killer with the added thrill of flying limbs and appendages.

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Paul Newman reviews a selection of the latest releases on DVD

The very weird way of the warrior

SUKIYAKI WESTERN DJANGO

(Contender Home Entertainment, 15, retail)

It's safe to say there's no other director like Japan's Takashi Miike, a real Renaissance man capable of turning his hand to family superhero adventures, musicals, insanely violent crime flicks such as *Ichi The Killer* or psychological horrors of almost unbearable intensity.

Here he indulges in brash genre-mashing, fluttering down like some playful magpie to pluck the chief elements from both samurai films and westerns (virtually the same kind of movie anyway), sprinkling on a dash of gangster iconography and Shakespearean echoes before playing it for delirious, cartoonish laughs.

What else to make of a film that boldly opens with Quentin Tarantino as the gunslinger Piringo, cooking up sukiyaki at a campfire on a luridly lit film set with a painted Mount Fuji on the blood-red canvas sky?

There's a story, of sorts, although following it isn't crucial to your enjoyment since Miike often seems happy to throw in random ideas and images for no better reason than they're fun to do or look cool. The plot of *Yojimbo/A Fistful Of Dollars/Django/Last*

Man Standing (all, unwittingly or otherwise, adaptations of Dashiell Hammett's fine Prohibitionadaptations of basiner hairment is nie i folinioni-era novel *Red Harvest*) is roped in for the basic set-up, with an enigmatic stranger known only as 'Gunman' arriving in an isolated town in which two gangs - the red Heike and white Genji - rule the roost in a brutal impasse while seeking a fabled treasure buried thereabouts.

The laws of physics simply don't apply, as gunslingers fire in perfect parabolas to shoot around corners and swordsmen are fast enough to bat bullets away; not to mention such oddly acceptable anachronisms a 19th century cowboys with contemporary facial piercings and modes of dress.

And with an all-Japanese cast speaking English in the manner of growled Italian dubbing, it's impossible to tell where we are – is this a heavily Asian-populated corner of the Old West or a very westernised Japan? Does it even matter in a film whose sole mission is to be full-on, frantic fun from start to finish?

Star rating: ★★★

LIFE (SEASON 1) (Universal Playback, 15, retail)

If, like me, you're a lost cause twitching and Jonesing for another fix of *The Shield* (the greatest crime show ever) and *The Wire*, you'll know how hard it is to unearth something different enough to hit the spot. Life satisfies on a variety of levels - it's got a quirky sensibility, isn't afraid to get up close to the unpleasantness, has a fascinating central character in Charlie Crews (Brit abroad Damian Lewis) and features a self-contained case in each episode while selections of the proposed season of the contained case in each episode while also letting slip a few more clues and details concerning the series' major story arc.

Crews is an LA cop, or at least was until he being convicted of an appalling crime and locked up for 12 years of the hardest time imaginable, surviving the beatings and abuse with the aid of zen meditation until new evidence clears him and he settles for millions in compensation and his old job back.



Lewis does a great job of playing Crews, making him credibly offbeat and randomly philosophical yet also a solid, intuitive cop; he's a likeable loon, but at the same time gives just enough of a hint that, maybe, he really is unbalanced enough to have killed.

He's well matched by Sarah Shahi's improbably hot cop Dani, a sober alcoholic and drug addict in recovery who's partnered with Crews to a) punish her and b) find enough dirt for the force to be rid of him although, inevitably, she comes to grudgingly respect and even like him.

This three-disc set features all 11 episodes plus extras including interviews, selected commentaries and features. Season two can't come around fast enough. Star rating: ★★★

WHICKER'S WORLD (VOLUME 2)

Chipper TV travel journalist Alan Whicker certainly got about, venturing to some truly godforsaken corners of the globe during the 1960s, '70s and '80s with narry a ruffle of his immaculate blazer-and-slacks combo.

In some respects, he's a loose forerunner to the likes of Nick Broomfield and Louis Theroux, inasmuch as his non-confrontational manner buys him access and then allows him to get away with a degree of cheeky impertinence when the occasion requires it.

The 10 shows on these two discs are from a variety of times (although just about all have a quietly hysterical credits sequence of Whicker enjoying slap-up service from the cabin crew) and serve as modest historical documents in their own right.

The Aristocracy Business kicks things off with a downright hilarious series of interviews with several inbred-looking bluebloods and then it's off to such fascinating locations such as the former barbarous French penal colony of Devil's Island (from which one inmate escaped by murdering four others and tying their bodies together to form a raft), Hong Kong's vanishing floating community, the start of building work at Disneyworld Florida, a gently collapsing Vienna, the harsh Aussie mining town of Coober Pedy, snow-blasted Anchorage and ex-pat Brits in LA, plus interviews with Ronnie Biggs' wife Charmain and the Sultan of Brunei.

Star rating: ★★★

EDITH PIAF: THE PERFECT CONCERT & PIAF: THE DOCUMENTARY

Sure to delight devotees of France's foremost cultural icon, this two-disc set combines a broad collection of performances by 'The Little Sparrow' plus a wealth of background material.

Abandoned by her mother and raised in a Normandy brothel. Piaf ran away to survive on the streets of Paris by virtue of her powerful voice.

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The performance footage captures much of her personality and disarming charm as well as that distinctive voice, while the second disc of documentary materials includes a wealth of interviews with those who knew and were influenced by Piaf, plus remarkable film of her being interviewed at the time of her manager's murder in 1936.

Star rating: ★★★

BOLEYN GIRL (12A) (11:00 Wed Only)

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BOLT (PG)

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hear this: a preview of what's on at the square this week

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Round one, heat five of the 2009 Rock Contest sees another three bands competing for the judges' and audience's votes for a place in the second round. This week it's the turn of Bite, Socket and Joey Sharks. Doors open at 8pm, admission £5.

FRIDAY

Local alt-rock quintet The Worldonfire, pictured right, are currently working with producer Chris Sheldon (Foo Fighter, Biffy Clyro, Hell Is For Heroes Radiohead) on their new album due for release later this year and some of the material will be performed at this show. Also on the bill are progressive schizo rockers Munroe Effect. Tickets are \$5 in advance and doors open at 8pm. Followed from 11.30pm-3am by club



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SATURDAY

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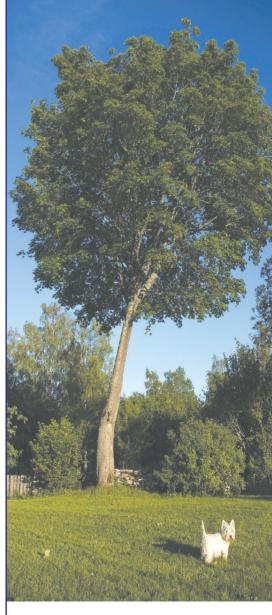
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Area Volunteering Development Manager

Salary: £18,168 - £24,984 p.a. Hours: 35 hrs per week

Ref: SF48364

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Please apply on-line: www.redcross.org.uk/vacancies or alternatively contact Kimberley Cole on 08444122830 on kcole@redcross.org.uk for application information. For an informal discussion about this post please contact Tricia Earp on 01992 585958.

Closing date: 18 February 2009.

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You will ideally be qualified to Level 4 in one of the above areas, possess qualifications to assess and verify in the workplace, and experience in managing a team of assessors. Applicants should be able to liaise with employers, college managers and candidates. You should enjoy working in a busy team, have good IT skills, and have the ability to work under pressure.

Assessor for NVQ Awards

Ref: T0207

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Salary: £20,164 to £24,490 (plus 0.5% CPD allowance)

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30 hours per week, 12 month fixed term contract Salary: £18,460 to £20,164 (plus 0.5% CPD allowance) pro-rata

Responding to the needs of our business community is a priority for the College. To demonstrate our commitment to them, we aim to achieve the Training Quality Standard in 2009. We are looking for an individual who will take a lead in identifying, collecting and analysing evidence to support the College's application. Working as part of a team, you will co-ordinate activity across the College and link with external bodies as required.

For further information or to apply go to www.hrc.ac.uk or telephone the Human Resources Department on Tel: 01992 411509 or email: hr@hrc.ac.uk quoting the appropriate job reference. CVs will not be accepted

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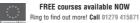
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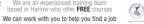
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Apply in writing to The Assistant Administrator indicating days that you are available to work. Applications must be received by 12.30pm 13 February. Interviews held week commencing 2 March. Full details and application form are on our website. www.henry-moore.org

The Henry Moore Foundation

Perry Green Much Hadhan Hertfordshire SG10 6EE

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JOB: CLEANER

DISTRICT: BISHOPS STORTFORD

WAGE: £6.00 PER HOU

HOURS: 2 PER WEEK [THURSDAY MORNING] DETAILS: EXPERIENCE ESSENTIAL. DUTIES INCLUDE DUSTING, CLEANING TOILETS AND OTHER GENERAL DUTIES AS REQUIRED

REFERENCE NO: HEJ/27486

JOB: CHEF

DISTRICT: BISHOPS STORTFORD WAGE: £7.50 PER HOUR

HOURS: 20-35 INCLUDING WEEKENDS

DETAILS: FOOD HYGIENE CERTIFICATE REQUIRED. TRAINING GIVEN. OPEN EVENING AT WELCOME

BREAK 11 & 12 FEBRUARY 4.00 PM

REFERENCE NO: HEJ/27472

JOB: DAY/NIGHT RECEPTIONIST DISTRICT: BISHOPS STORTFORD WAGE: £6.25 - £7.00 PER HOUR

HOURS: 16-35 HOURS (FULL OR PART TIME) DETAILS: MANNING THE MAIN RECEPTION, PROCESSING CUSTOMER DEPARTURES, TAKING BOOKINGS, ANSWERING THE 'PHONE OPEN EVENING AT WELCOME BREAK 11 & 12 FEBRUARY

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REFERENCE NO: HEJ/27468

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JOB: SALES PERSON

DISTRICT: BISHOPS STORTFORD WAGE: £10.000 - £14.000 PER ANNUM

HOURS: 40 HOURS PER WEEK

DETAILS: PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE IN SALES REQUIRED. SELLING WHITE AND BROWN GOODS. DELAING WITH CUSTOMERS. UNIFORM PROVIDED.

STAFF DISCOUNT

JOB: DOMESTIC ASSISTANT DISTRICT: STANSTED, ESSEX WAGE: £6.55 PER HOUR

HOURS: NO SET PATTERN - WEEKENDS DETAILS: DUTIES WILL INCLUDE FOOD

PREPARATION, CLEANING THE ITCHEN AREA AND

WASHING UP

REFERENCE NO: HEJ/27462

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REFERENCE NO: HEJ/27495

JOB: DATA ENTRY CLERK **DISTRICT: BISHOPS STORTFORD** WAGE: £12,922 - £15,950 PER ANNUM

HOURS: 37.5 PER WEEK

DETAILS: WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ENTERING ACCURATE INFORMATION ONTO A DADTABASE, ENSURING PATIENT CONFIDENTIALITY AT ALL TIMES. EXCELLENT TIME MANAGEMENT, ATTENTION TO DETAIL & MEETING

TIGHT DEADLINES

JOB: OPERATIONS ASSISTANT DISTRICT: BISHOPS STORTFORD WAGE: £13.000 - £14.500 PER ANNUM **HOURS: 39 HOURS - 5 DAYS FROM 7**

DETAILS: MUST HAVE SUPERVISORY EXPERIENCE IN A CUSTOMER FOCUSED INDUSTRY, BE ABLE TO DELIVER ALL OPERATIONAL TASKS, AND HAVE A BCAKGROUND IN RETAIL OR LEISURE INDUSTRY

REFERENCE NO: HEJ/27469

JOB: PICKER/PACKER

DISTRICT: BISHOPS STORTFORD

WAGE: £6.50 PER HOUR **HOURS: 39 PER WEEK**

DETAILS: MUST HAVE COUNTER BALANCE FORK LIFT TRUCK LICENCE AND PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE IN A SIMILAR ROLE. WILL INVOLVE LIFTING UP TO 20KG.

REFERENCE NO: HEJ/27458

REFERENCE NO: HEJ/27466

JOB: REFURBISHMENT TECHNICIAN DISTRICT: BISHOPS STORTFORD WAGE: 312,922 - £15,950 PER ANNUM

HOURS: 37.5 PER WEEK

DETAILS: WILL CLEAN/REFURBISH DIRTY EQUIPMENT TO INFECTION CONTROL STANDARDS. UNIFORM AND TRAINING PROVIDED.

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For Application & Information packs, contact:

The Harlow Education Consortium, Harlow Study Centre, Netteswellbury Farm, Harlow CM18 6BW

Tel: 01279 446726 Email: info@hecuk.net

> Closing date for applications: 3:00pm Wednesday 11th February 2009 Only long listed applicants will be contacted

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JOB: CUSTOMER SERVICES REPRESENTATIVE **DISTRICT: HARLOW**

WAGE: MEETS NATIONAL MINIMUM WAGE HOURS: 40 HOURS PER WEEK BETWEEN 8AM & 6PM

DETAILS: YOU WILL BE A CUSTOMER FOCUSED TEAM WORKER, KEEN ON OFFERING GOOD CUSTOMER SERVICE. DUTIES INCLUDE CASH HANDLING, OPERATING A TILL RECEIVING GOODS, LOCATING AND PICKING GOODS AND SERVING CUSTOMERS

REFERENCE NO: HBH/16782

JOB: MOBILE ROUTE OPERATOR

DISTRICT: HARLOW WAGE: £12,337 PER ANNUM **HOURS: 40 HOURS PER WEEK**

DETAILS: FULL CLEAN DRIVING LICENCE IS NECESSARY, HOWEVER A VEHICLE IS PROVIDED. PREVIOUS EXPERIÊNCE IS NOT ESSENTIAL AS FULL TRAINING WILL BE GIVEN. DUTIES WILL INCLUDE TRAVELLING TO VARIOUS SITES THROUGHOUT HARLOW AREA. REPLENISHING AND CLEANING VENDING

MACHINES

REFERENCE NO: HBH/16768

JOB: PORTABLE APPLIANCE TESTER DISTRICT: CRAWLEY HATCH, HARLOW

WAGE: £13.000

HOURS: 40 HOURS MONDAY TO FRIDAY 8AM - 5PM DETAILS: MUST HAVE A CURRENT DRIVING LICENCE AND ACCESS TO TRANSPORT, MUST HAVE CITY AND GUILDS 2377/02. TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT SUPPLIED. DUTIES INCLUDE PAT TESTING AND VISITING CUSTOMERS IN THE HARLOW AND SURROUNDING AREA

REFERENCE NO: HBH/16753

JOB: FACILITIES OFFICER DISTRICT: HARLOW WAGE: £14,400

HOURS: FULL TIME, MON-FRI 9AM - 5PM

DETAILS: THIS IS A VARIED JOB AND REQUIRES FLEXIBILITY, ENSURING ADEQUATE COVER IS MAINTAINED DURING STAFF ABSENCE / LUNCH, MONITORING, OPENING AND DISTRIBUTION OF POST, RECEIPTING, RECORDING VALUABLES, VENDING MACHINES, STOCK AND STATIONERY ORDERING, ROOM BOOKING AND HOSPITALITY, COURIERS / DELIVERIES AND COVER FOR RECEPTION. APPLICANTS MUST BE COMPUTER LITERATE WITH A GOOD KNOWLEDGE OF MICROSOFT OFFICE. FULL DRIVING LICENCE IS DESIRABLE

REFERENCE NO: HBH/16743

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JOB: CUSTOMER SERVICE ADVISOR DISTRICT: HARLOW

WAGE: EXCEEDS NMW

HOURS: 20 HOUR PER WEEK, MON - SUN, VARIED SHIFTS DETAILS: MUST HAVE PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE IN THE RETAIL / SALES INDUSTRY, GOOD COMMUNICATION, STRONG SALES AND MERCHANDISING SKILLS DUTIES INCLUDE PROMOTING PRODUCTS, CASH HANDLING AND TILL OPERATION, STOCK REPLENISHMENT AND HOUSEKEEPING. MUST BE FLEXIBLE WITH HOURS

REFERENCE NO: HBH/16739

JOB: CNC LATHE SETTER OPERATOR DISTRICT: HARLOW

WAGE: £9.00 - £12.00 PER HOUR **HOURS: 40 HOURS PER WEEK**

DETAILS: PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE IS ESSENTIAL. A THOROUGH KNOWLEDGE OF FANUC IS ESSENTIAL AS IS OPERATING COLCHESTER CNC LATHES. DUTIES WILL INCLUDE SETTING THE MACHINES READY FOR OPERATORS, AS WELL AS SETTING AND RUNNING MACHINES THEMSELVES AND ANY OTHER DUTIES AS REQUIRED

REFERENCE NO: HBH/16757

JOB: OPTICAL ASSISTANT / DISPENSER

DISTRICT: HARLOW

WAGE: £12,500 - £16,000 PER ANNUM **HOURS: 37.5 HOURS PER WEEK**

DETAILS: APPLICANTS MUST HAVE AN OPTICAL BACKGROUND AND HAVE EXPERIENCE AS A MANAGER OR TECHNICIAN WITHIN THE OPTICS ENVIRONMENT. EXCELLENT CUSTOMER SERVICE SKILLS ARE ALSO ESSENTIAL. DUTIES INCLUDE DISPENSING AND PRE-SCREENING. WAGE IS NEGOTIABLE

DEPENDING ON EXPERIENCE

REFERENCE NO: HBH/16773

JOB: CLEANER **DISTRICT: HARLOW** WAGE: £6.00 PER HOUR

HOURS: 37.5 HOURS PER WEEK, MON - FRI 8AM - 4.30PM DETAILS: APPLICANTS MUST HAVE DRIVING LICENCE AND OWN VEHICLE AS YOU WILL BE REQUIRED TO COVER MORE THAN ONE LOCATION. CSCS CARD IS PREFERRED. FLEXIBILITY REQUIRED AND USE OF OWN INITIATIVE. YOU WILL BE WORKING ON NEW HOUSES AND REFURBISHMENTS. DUTIES INCLUDE VACUUMING, DUSTING, EMPTYING BINS, MOPPING, WINDOW CLEANING AND OTHER DUTIES AS REQUIRED

REFERENCE NO: HBH/16772

JOB: NVQ ASSESSOR **DISTRICT: HARLOW** WAGE: £22,000

HOURS: 39 HOURS PER WEEK 5 OVER 7 BETWEEN 9AM AND 5PM

DETAILS: SKILLS FOR LIFE TEACHING EXPERIENCE IS PREFERABLE. MUST HAVE A1 QUALIFICATION OR D32/33 OR EQUIVALENT. IMMEDIATE START AVAILABLE. DUTIES WILL INVOLVE ASSESSING SUTDENTS FOR THEIR NVQ

QUALIFICATION

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WEST Ham United are launching FREE football coaching sessions for young children in Harlow starting later this month.

The club's pre-academy coach Jim Hampsheir has linked up with former Bristol Rovers midfielder Colin Williams to run the sessions as the Hammers search for the next Rio Ferdinand and Joe Cole.

Hampsheir said: "At West Ham you are never too old or too young to join – if you are good enough."

A fun day will take place for Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 boys (4to 7-year-olds) at the Norman Booth Leisure Centre in Old Harlow on February 20.

It is the start of regular weekly sessions the East London club has financed.

Hampsheir and Williams, who lives in Old Harlow, says the town is a prime site for new talent.

Harlow has been a strong source for good footballing talent in the past

"I have been around the schools in Harlow and there are plenty of good players," said Hampsheir. "There is so much potential in Harlow. It's a key area. We want to work with the kids in the town and expand these sessions. There is bound to be untapped talent."

Hampsheir has been with the Hammers since 1997 and has seen the likes of Manchester United star Ferdinand, plus Chelsea's Frank Lampard and Cole come through the ranks at Upton Park.

He trains boys aged from 6 up to

West Ham launch soccer camp



STRIVING FOR SUCCESS: West United boss Gianfranco

14-years-old, working closely with West Ham's Academy supremo Tony Carr.

The sessions in Harlow will be run

by up to six coaches, including the club's full-time FA qualified Academy staff.

Hampsheir says the recently refurbished Norman Booth, with its plush viewing gallery to enable parents to watch their children, is an ideal venue. "I'm really excited about the new centre. Now it has been renovated it's a great facility to use as a development centre," he said.

"It's a great location and gives kids a chance to come down and have a chance.'

Keeping with the club's tradition, the coaching sessions will be based largely on introducing kids to skills and technique but with the emphasis on fun.

"Everything we do will be fun based. It's important that the kids enjoy it," said Hampsheir.

'West Ham are renowned for playing good football and we produce good footballers from a very young age. We have plenty of small sided games. We want the kids to take lots of touches – that's how they learn."

Williams, who also manages the Harlow Town U-18 team who are currently top of the Eastern Junior Alliance league, explained: "We are looking for a certain type of player that we can take to the next level.

"Jim is passionate about the development of youngsters. If we feel they have a talent we will take them to West Ham and they will develop them from there.

"The secret is a good coach, while the goal is to be a professional footballer. You try to guide them in the

right direction.
"Hopefully this [the Norman Booth Leisure Centre] will become a hub.'

 PLACES are still available for the fun day. Call in at the Norman Booth Leisure Centre for an application

Harlow denied by late leveller

Saffron Walden 2, Harlow 2

(East Men's Hockey League, division three south east)

JOE Symonds' side picked up a valuable point at Saffron Walden after a committed performance.

Harlow started the match well and looked dangerous when attacking on Saturday.

Defensively they also looked good with

the tough tackling of Ali Castle and Symonds frustrating the young Walden

However, the hosts went ahead with halftime approaching. Harlow gave away a short

corner which was expertly converted.

Harlow stepped up a gear in the second half with the pacey attack of Craig Cholerton and Ben Light causing the opposition defence problems.

Eventually the prolonged pressure told as

Adam Ottley, making his first first team appearance of the season, squeezed the ball past the Walden keeper to make it 1-1.

This sparked the hosts back into life and the match became an end-to-end affair.

Harlow took the lead when Cholerton slotted the ball into the far corner after an excellent individual run which saw him beat three Walden defenders.

But the visitors were denied a crucial three points when Walden equalised with 10 minutes remaining. Late on, Cholerton dragged a shot wide and Walden had a 'goal' chalked off after it

was deemed that the ball had not left the 'D' from a penalty corner routine. HARLOW (squad): Armsworth, Castle, Torvel, Kirk, Harvey, Symonds (c), Kroszka, Ottley, Shearman-Slack, Cholerton, Light, Adams, Hagger.

Clinical Rushton key as Ladies cut gap at the top

VICTORY in Saturday's fivegoal thriller against Maldon left Emma Tweddle's side just three points behind third-placed Brentwood.

The visitors started strongly, pinning Maldon back for the first 10 minutes.

Despite an array of shots from Carolyn Rushton, Alex Figg and Charlotte Byers, Harlow were unable to capitalise.

The visitors then suffered a setback when Anita Shearman was injured and had to leave the field.

A reshuffled midfield struggled to string together too many meaningful passes and as the half wore on Maldon were able to push forward.

A free hit awarded on the edge of the 'D' lifted high over the heads of the Harlow defence and fell kindly to a Maldon attacker who slotted easily past keeper Nicky Newland. Stung, Harlow levelled almost immediately as Byers and Figg combined and the latter scored.

Shearman returned to the action but Harlow still found it difficult to find a steady rhythm.

Maldon took advantage from a short corner but they were denied a second goal by a

Maldon & Little Baddow 2. Harlow 3

(Essex Women's Hockey League, premier division)

goal-line block from Jo Green. But Harlow were unable to clear the danger and Maldon scored to lead 2-1 at the break.

Tweddle went close soon after the restart following another foraging run by Rushton.

Sonya Amos was instrumental as the visitors' passing began to tell on Maldon, while player of-the-match Rushton continued to produce outstanding solo runs to split the Maldon defence.

Anna Ferdinando picked up the ball in midfield and after a one-two with Tweddle she crossed to Amos who stopped the ball for Tweddle to finish in the far corner.

Harlow again pushed forward and Rushton was denied by a superb save by the Maldon keeper from her reverse-stick

Maldon did not heed the warning and another reverse stick strike from Rushton was successful late on.

HARLOW (squad): Newland, Green, Shearman, Hansson, Figg, Reilly, Tweddle, Rushton, Amos, Byers, Ferdinando, Donaghey, Hawes.

Ronnies Flyer is set for take off

Welcome to our exciting new column, giving an insight into Harlow Greyhound Stadium as our inside man gives his tips for tomorrow.

RONNIES FLYER looks set to return to winning ways this Friday night in the stayers' contest at 10pm.

After an unfortunate defeat last time out, this powerful black has been given an excellent chance by the racing manager to make amends.



Despite lacking early pace he should find himself in a decent position and can strike the front approaching the fifth bend.

ANNIES FALCON

stays best of the rest and can fill second spot.

Another race of interest tomorrow is the other stayers' event at 8.45pm.

Wide running TAYLOR MADE has been a model of consistancy since arriving at Harlow and if he maintains this level of form should be good enough to account for some modest rivals.

Perfectly housed in trap 6, he can gain a clear run throughout and assert down the home straight.

Friday selections:

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7.45pm CHERRYS VIERI

8.00pm LISCAHANE LULU

8.15pm CLUNE TED

8.30pm JIGGY JAZZ

8.45pm TAILOR MADE

9.00pm GREENFIELD SANDY

9.15pm GREENFIELD FAWN

9.30pm BEST MOVER

9.45pm RONNIES PLAYBOY

10.00pm RONNIES FLYER

10.15pm RONNIES INNOCENT

Joanne chosen for **England Test series**

A YOUNG netball player from Harlow has been picked for England's senior squad.

Nineteen-year-old Joanne Harten from Mallards Rise is the youngest player named in



CALL-UP: Joanne

The team will play a three-match Test series against Jamaica at the end of this month.

The first match is at the O2 Arena in London on Sunday February 22. The next two matches take place in Coventry and Nottingham.

Joanne, who is a goal shooter for Super League Loughborough ng, said: "I'm team Lightning, said: Harten (s) really excited and looking forward to the game at the O2 Arena. I have

been working and training hard. "They [Jamaica] beat us in the World Championships for bronze [in 2007] and this is

a chance for revenge."

Joanne, who has six senior England caps, is

currently studying for a degree in international relations at Loughborough University.

Joanne's local club is Tegate in Harlow where

she is coached by Carol Bull and Jean Cant.

Defeat for Robins

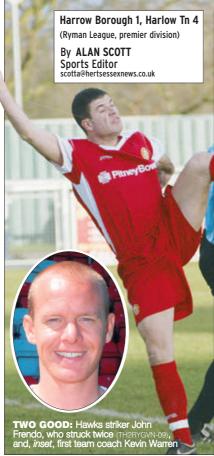
SAWBRIDGEWORTH Town suffered a 2-0 defeat at London APSA in the Essex Senior Football League on Saturday.

Daniel Matthew and Mo Dakri netted for the

In the Essex Olympian Football League senior premier division, Epping lost 1-0 at home to Frenford Senior.

Potter Street were beaten 3-1 at home to Manford Way.

Hawks' drop Narrow loss for brave Rams zone lifeline



HARLOW Town FC's U-18 team beat Boca Mountnessing 4-2 in the Eastern Junior

On target were George Lacey (2), Tom Castro and Connor Williams.

Selected West Essex & East Herts Youth League results: Saturn U-8s 0, Langley Colts Mustangs U-8s 20 (scorers included Lewis Perry 2 and Lewis Pratt 4); Harlow Town U-9s 0, Langley Colts Stallions U-9s 3 (Michael Pardoe, George Jefferies, Ronnie Bird); Rayleigh Raiders 3, Langley Colts U-12 Girls 3 (Olivia Ryan, Georgia Jackson 2).

FIRST team coach Kevin Warren helped out at the back as Harlow Town secured a crucial victory in the six-

pointer at Harrow Borough.

Thirty-year-old Warren played in the crunch match on Saturday after injuries to central defenders Danny Gudgeon (foot) and Paul Kear (hamstring).

Harlow, boosted by the return of suspended duo right-back Mark Taylor and central midfielder Leon Lalite, took the lead after

only 14 minutes. James Hasell's long goal-kick found Dee Okojie and he beat a defender before finding

skipper Jamie Richards, who skillfully took the ball around Harrow stopper Laurie Walker and tucked the ball home from close range.

The visitors doubled the lead six minutes later. A neat ball from left-back Michael Bardle found John Frendo and his 20-yard lob beat Walker who was well off his line.

The hosts halved the deficit on 29 minutes. Kai

Williams' cross from the right went beyond the far post and Dorian Smith headed it back into the danger zone to the unmarked Jonathan Constant who stabbed the ball in from close range.

However, Harlow restored their two-goal advantage when Taylor fired in a penalty on 36 minutes. This was awarded after Tobi Jinadu handled the ball in the box.

Frendo netted his second goal on 54 minutes to make it 4-1. Richards did well to beat two men before slotting through to Frendo and he showed tremendous composure as he rounded Walker and rolled the ball in.

Bardle made a superb goal-line clearance a few minutes later from Dewayne Clarke.

Harrow were given a lifeline when the referee awarded a dubious penalty on 70 minutes from a Taylor foul on Constant. However, Constant's spot-kick was well saved by Hasell, diving low to his left

Near the end, Taylor's superb 30-yard free-kick hit the cross bar and bounced on the line before being cleared by Walker. Hawks boss Glen Alzapiedi said: "We showed a

lot of resolution and defended well against a more

physical side.
"We have now scored 13 goals in four league games since I came here. If we can get the same

level of efficiency from the rest of the team we will be a very tough team to play against."

HARLOW TN: Hasell 6, Taylor 5 (Webster 85), Bardle 7, Stewart 6, Warren 6, Berry 6, Lalite 5, S. Gliddon 5, Richards 7, Frendo 7, OKOJIE 7. Subs not used: Lampe, Green, Ellerbeck, Stone (gk).

Att: 162.

strongly

Cougars end county cup quest

A NARROW defeat at Cambridge Cougars 68, Cougars ended Harlow Hawks' hopes of lifting this year's Herts County Cup.

It might seem rather strange a Cambridgeshire team hosting an Essex side in the last eight of this competition, but that was the case these two Hertfordshire Basketball League teams.

Hawks restricted Cougars to a single score in the first five min-utes, while Mark Haddow, Paul Jessop and Shab Niaz (threepointer) kept the score ticking over for the visitors.

Mike Freeman added to the Harlow score before Nick Moss was successful with a bonus shot. Further scores from Haddow

Harlow Hawks 62 (Herts Basketball County Cup.

and Freeman extended Hawks lead, but some sloppy passing allowed Cougars to make it 19-12 at the end of the quarter. Russ Allan got the scoring mov-

ing for Hawks from a baseline drive lay-up but then Cougars went on a 9-2 run to bring them close to Hawks.

Three-pointers by Niaz and Jessop kept Hawks ahead.

A buzzer-beating Jessop score ensured Harlow went into the halftime break with a 36-28 lead. Cougars stormed back in the

Freeman, Jessop and Moss.

A 9-2 run by the hosts opened up a gap before Russ Allan's threepointer reduced the arrears.

third quarter with an 18-2 run.

Harlow finished the quarter

with scores

Cougars closed out the game with two successful free-throws.

Coach Shab Niaz reflected: We played well as a unit up to half-time but in the second half we stopped working at both ends of the floor and for one another. Cougars stepped up a gear and we

didn't respond."

HARLOW HAWKS: Jessop (19), Niaz (12), Haddow (8), Freeman (8), Moss (8), Allan (7), Sharma, Burgess, Jones,

Full-back Sean Banks (dislocated thumb) and flanker Robert Cochrane (knee ligament damage) were forced off after 20 and 55 minutes respectively.

Sudbury went ahead after two minutes when a centre broke clear to run in an easy try which he converted for a 7-0 lead.

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The Rams
withstood pressure
before Lee Harron,
playing in the
unaccustomed role
at fly-half, kicked a
penalty for the
visitors.

The opening seven
minutes of the
second half saw
both teams score a
penalty apiece with The Rams

penalty apiece with

Harron replying after the home kicker scored.

Then Sudbury stretched their lead again. A long kick upfield fell nicely for their forwards and the ball was recycled before flanker Jonathan Coone ran in a try, which was converted to leave Harlow trailing 17-6.

Simon Vanbeck was a hero for the Rams at both ends. He pulled off a try-saving tackle before he burst through to touch down an unconverted try near the corner.

But Harlow could not conjure another score. The side are next at home to Braintree in

nine days' time. HARLOW: Banks (McFerran 20), Vanbeck, Bowering, Powell, Grimley, Harron, Woodington, Webb (Ephgrave 55), Wilkins, Prindiville, Hawkins, Twiner, Cochrane (Palmer 50), Roberts, Eynon (C).

Other result: Essex div one - Upper Clapton 12,

Teen shines again

FOURTEEN-year-old Douglas Thomas followed his 140 out shot last week with a 180 in the Harlow & District Premier Darts League.

However, it was not enough to stop his CC Colts team going down 5-4 at TG Whites.

A slow start to the season is now a distant memory for CC Foxes. They recorded their fourth consecutive 7-2 win, this time at Stow Snooker Club.

Foxes were boosted by a 180 from Colin Brown. League leaders White Admiral beat Moot House 8-1 to move four points ahead of Servo Hawks who lost 5-4 to MH Arrows.

FC Arrows went down 3-6 to UG Social who had Len Culver and Alec Anderson on target

Dicky Smith helped himself to a 111 outshot in Young Pretenders' 6-3 victory at Golden Swift.

Billy is UK number 1

BILLY Falconer recorded a national grade 1 leap and broke his own personal best in the high jump at the London Games at the Lee Valley Athletics Centre in North London

The Harlow teenager leapt a massive 1.90m to win the U-17 men's competition at the Edmonton venue on Sunday. He is now rated joint first in the UK for U-17 men. Harlow's Markus Hunt ran 49.8s in winning the

Epping's Kathrine Foy clocked PBs in the 200m (27.66s) and 400m (59.69s). She won both

North Weald's Jess Docking was an excellent 14th in the South of England Inter Counties Championship. She represented Essex in the 6km race, clocking in 25 mins, 57 secs.

Star to the rescue

Cont'd from back page

"Fortunately Alan Scott and Jamie Richards were able to get us to Harrow between their two cars.'

Star Sports Editor Alan said: "I was happy to help. The club has been very good to David Rimmer and myself over the years so it's nice to do them a favour for a change."

Alan took most of the kit back to Barrows Farm after the game. He also gave Shaw and team physio Paul West-Hook a ride home.

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Narrow loss for brave Rams

Sudbury 17, Harlow 11 (RFU London div

THE Rams might remain in the bottom two but can take heart three north east) from a narrow loss at

second-placed Sudbury. However, the plucky display came at a cost. Cont'd on page 51





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Star comes to the rescue

the rescue when the Harlow Town FC team mini-bus broke down on its way to Harrow ahead of Saturday's league match.

Hawks president Ron Bruce was driving the vehicle on the M25 when it was struck by debris and forced off the road.

Harlow Town press officer Billy Shaw contacted Star sports editor Alan Scott, above, as he made his way to Harrow Borough's ground.

Alan was just two junctions away from



the team mini-bus. so stopped to load up most of the kit as well as taking central defender Paul Kear, Shaw and the club photographer Gary Lockwood to the game.

Bruce never got to the match, which Harlow won 4-1, as vehicle to be recovered and taken back to Harlow.

Club skipper Jamie Richards also picked up some of the players.

"We are very thankful to the **Star** for helping us out," said Shaw.

"There aren't many local papers about that cover their local teams' away games, and even after waiting behind to help bring the kit back, the sports team still managed to get the match report online after the game,"

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Wolf's on the prow



New centre-half lined up to make Hawks debut

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Wolf is set to come in for the Harlow out of the bottom five. been snapped up by Glen
Ryman premier division home
game against Ashford Town this
Saturday. Utility player Danny Gudgeon is still ruled out with a foot injury, but young defender Paul Kear may make a return.

Kear sustained a hamstring injury in the 3-3 draw at Boreham

Wood 12 days ago.
Alzapiedi said: "It was not a bad tear and he might be OK."

The Hawks boss knows he can use Kevin Warren again after the first team coach played in central defence at Harrow Borough. "He did all that was asked of him and is there if I need him," Alzapiedi said.

The 4-1 win over Harrow lifted

"There are three teams right at the bottom in danger. We are in the five or six teams above them and want to get away from there as soon as possible," said Alzapiedi.

Snow caused the postponement of Harlow Town's scheduled league game at Billericay Town on Tuesday.

This game will now be played on Tuesday March 31.

The home league match against Maidstone United has been rearranged for Tuesday March 10 at Barrows Farm.

Harlow's league match at Heybridge Swifts will now take place on Tue

smash hit at table tennis club

TWENTY-four table tennis enthusiasts received a master class from a former Commonwealth Games Gold medallist in Old Harlow. Gareth Herbert, who was supported by England international Natalie Green and her husband Alex (a former Nottinghamshire county player), ran a two-day course for players from the Eastern Region at the BATTS (Booth Academy of Table Tennis) centre in Elderfield at the weekend.

It included four youngsters from the host club: Luke Walsh (11), Natasha Walsh (12), Ethan Walsh (6) and Adam Lake (11). Herbert won the gold medal at the Games in Manchester in



The sessions used a Chinamade robot machine which fires out balls at up to 90 miles an hour at players and this proved particularly popular.

really well and another one will be held in May.

"The robot can be faster than actual serves in games so players are able to cope in matches. It should only be used Neil Brierley, the BATTS matches. It should only be secretary, said: "The event went to complement the coach."



